Weather

Overcast, showery. The maximum temperature yesterday was 71.9 and the minimum 60.8, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 66.9 and 49.1.

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HIGH COURT TO RULE ON LENGTH FOR GIRLS' SKIRTS

Kansas Jurists Have Weighty Issue To Decide

HIGH SCHOOL ROW

Suit Is Echo Of Dispute Between Parents And Teachers

(Reuter's Service)

Lawrence, Kan., April 7.—How short a girl's skirt must be to be a disturber of scholastic peace, and when, if ever, it becomes the concern of a school board, are questions expected to be laid before the supreme court of Kansas, following the recent action of District Judge Hugh Means in sustaining a demurrer of the Vinland, Kansas, rural school board against his jurisdiction in an action brought on behalf of Alice Hansen and Maude Buchanan, Vinland high school pupils against the board.

Alice and Maude are 15 years old, and both are farmers' daughters. Court action was brought by J. E. Hansen, father of Alice, when the Vinland school board, after adopting a rule requiring pupils to wear skirts three inches below the knees, decided that the skirts of Alice and Maude did not meet specifications, and expelled them until such times as their skirts should be lowered.

On application of Mr. Hansen, Judge Means issued a temporary order directing the school board to permit the girls to return to their studies. They did so without reservations or amendments as to skirt length. Then the school filed a demurrer to Judge Means' jurisdiction, which the judge upheld, and Hansen's attorney announced an appeal to the supreme court.

The action of the school board stirred up a hornets' nest in the usually placid community of Vinland. Supporters of the school board said the board was right, that three inches below the knees was a liberal allowance for skirts. Others, particularly friends of the girls' mothers, said they believed Mrs. Hansen and Mrs. Buchanan, who made the costumes in question at home, knew more about what was right and modest for girls to wear than any three men in the country, school board directors or not.

Jude Means was made the recipient of much unasked advice and commendation, from hundreds of persons in all parts of the United States.

Serious minded women wrote to him gravely, pointing out the merits of short skirts from a sanitary standpoint.

Others feared the decadence of national morals, and still others were concerned over the peril to national liberties if school boards were to be permitted to determine styles.

The most voluble adherents of short skirts among Judge Means' correspondents were women.

One woman said that morals and skirt lengths had no connection, that it was all a question of the purpose and intent with which clothes were worn. Another declared skirts anywhere between the knees and the shoe tops were entirely proper.

"Tag Day" For Russ Famine Relief Today

Today is tag day for the Russian Famine Relief. About 4,500 students, girls as well as boys, will participate in the canvassing for funds. The hours for the campaign will be between 9 a.m. and 6 p.m. Seventy-seven local organisations are assisting in the work, which will be repeated tomorrow during the same hours.

Judge Lobingier Not On Silver State

(China Press Service)

Yokohama, April 28 (Special).—Judge Charles Sumner Lobingier of the United States Court for China, who was expected in Yokohama today on the Admiral Line steamer Silver State, was not a passenger on the liner.

(The above wire confirms reports received here that Judge Lobingier was not returning on the Silver State and had gone back to Washington from Seattle).

House Leaders Interested In Bonus

PRESIDENT Harding met House leaders to discuss matters pertaining to the soldier bonus. The chief executive sought to alleviate the possibility of a breach between the Administration and the House. Here are shown House leaders as they appeared at the conference.

Mixed Court Discredits Registration Of Chinese With Foreign Consulates

Certificates Issued To Chinese Held Valueless To Save Them From Court's Jurisdiction—Consul's Protest Answered

"Nationality is not like a suit of clothes which you can put on and take off at will," was the observation of British Assessor Blackburn in the Mixed Court yesterday and in connection with a case that was before the court he took decisive action with a practice that has grown common among certain Chinese and that has been the source of no little vexation.

"This question for foreign registration of Chinese," declared the Assessor, who was sitting with Magistrate Li, "has become such an absolute scandal that I am determined to do all in my power to stop it."

Acting upon these views the Court in the particular case that was before it ruled that certificates of registration obtained by Chinese from foreign Consulates are valueless, and it was also clearly held that registration by a Chinese with a foreign Consulate does not remove the Chinese from jurisdiction of the Mixed Court.

FIXED CONDITIONS

Continuing, the Court held that Chinese holding certificates of registration with foreign Consulates remain subject to jurisdiction of the Mixed Court until they prove that they have ceased to be Chinese citizens.

In voicing the opinions set forth Assessor Blackburn said plainly that if foreign Consuls are inclined to disagree with the opinions or if they desire to make protests they may do so through diplomatic channels.

"We will go behind the Consulates to stop it," he declared speaking of the question of registration by Chinese.

In the particular case before the court the Spanish Consulate is involved and a letter from the Spanish Consul questioning the Mixed Court's jurisdiction has been entered as a part of the court record of the case.

It was evidently in reply to this letter that the Assessor said Consuls opposing the ruling in cases of the sort should proceed through diplomatic channels.

HOLDS DEFENDANT

The case in question was a charge against one Liang Yung-sung who is alleged to have conspired with his father to forge a fantan, or title deed, which subsequently was sold to Mr. N. Aski, a Japanese. It was disclosed that Liang Yung-sung registed with the Spanish Consulate some months after the time that it is alleged the offense was committed. Acting upon the opinion given, the Court held Liang Yung-sung for trial and remanded the case for the Japanese Assessor over the protests of Mr. L. W. Hartigan, who appeared for the defendant.

Dr. Fischer, who appeared for the complainant, stated that the Japanese Assessor had issued the warrant on Saturday last. It was alleged that in September last the accused had forged the fantan. When sergeant D. S. Robertson served the warrant the accused produced a certificate showing that he was registered at the Spanish Consulate. There is not the slightest doubt that the accused tried to escape the jurisdiction of the Court. The subject matter of this case hap-

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POLISH-FINNISH PACT DIRECTED AGAINST SOVIET

Moscow Puzzled By Attitude Of Neighboring States

(Rosta News Agency)

Moscow, April 16.—Authoritative circles here consider the Polo-Finnish agreement a step directed unequivocally against Russia. Although the alliance is officially described as defensive, yet, considering Soviet Russia's peaceful policy throughout the revolution, such an alliance can essentially be only aggressive.

The timeliness and judiciousness of the Polo-Finnish treaty is highly questionable from the standpoint of the interests of both contracting parties. Genca will have to decide on general peace questions. The new treaty will not facilitate, but embarass, the establishment of real friendly Russo-Finnish and Russo-Polish relations.

Neither Poland nor Finland can reconstruct themselves without closest union with Russia. Furthermore, Poland has to play an important role in the future in Russo-European trade relations. Also the question of the tsarist debts at Genoa makes any conflicts with Russia unprofitable for both Finland and Poland.

Finland's conduct in this affair is particularly inexplicable. According to Warsaw messages Finland intends to conclude military alliance not only with Poland but also with Rumania. This signifies Finland's desire to fall into the sphere of French politics. This step may bring her highly undesirable consequences. On the whole it behoves the small states adjacent to Russia to think more of peace than of conflicts.

The Russian Government now as ever is animated by the sincerest pacific desires, but the neighboring states must bear in mind that any conflict between them and the Soviet Republic will fall heavier on them than on Russia, which possesses inexhaustible human and material resources and an army seasoned in victorious battles.

CHANG TELLS MOTIVE BACK OF HIS DRIVE INTO CHIHLI

Mukden Warlord Gives Interview To "Star" Reporter

FIRST TO SEE HIM

Miss Booker "Of Evening Star," Gets Views

BY JOSEF W. HALL

Peking, April 19 (delayed).—Miss Edna Lee Booker, whose feature articles under the name of "Virginia Adams" are well known to Shanghai readers of THE CHINA PRESS and EVENING STAR, has visited Muaden, where Chang Tso-lin told her that his motive in massing troops about Tientsin is to "protect" the reunification conference which he will summon at that port within two months, and to remove any "obstacles" in the way of the conference's success. Miss Booker is the first woman correspondent who has interviewed the Mukden leader, and the first foreign woman who has ever set foot within his audience hall. Her interview, which even Chang Tso-lin's American adviser had warned her would be impossible, was gained through the warlord's "modernised" son.

General Chang was so taken with his lady interviewer that he allowed himself to be photographed in his courtyard by her, and had his famous armored car specially got out that she might observe and take snapshots of it. On the evening following the interview he sent a beautiful white fox stole to her in remembrance of their pleasant conversation. —It is a previously unheard-of thing for Chang to present gifts of any consequence to his visitors.

"IMPOSSIBLE"

Miss Booker was assured by Mr. Carleton E. Baker, his American adviser, by General Chang's son and by the General himself that the General has no personal ambitions in sending his hordes south of the Great Wall. He states that he has no desire to be president. His interviewer did not ask him if he would object to the emperor's crown. Miss Booker was taken by Mr. and Mrs. Baker to hear an address of the junior Chang who received his training in oratory at the Y.M.C.A. before a battalion of troops about to entrain for the south.

"My father trusts that it will not be necessary for you to fight," he told them, "but if the need arises, you should be prepared to fight, not for him, but for your beloved country." Young Chang, it seems, has the makings of an ideal Crown Prince.

About twenty-two years of age, the husband of one wife but proud father of three sons and a daughter, informal, liberal, energetic, with a large knowledge of the world, is the manner in which the heir is described by his lady correspondent. The young Chang has been made by his father commandant of the forces at Shanhaikwan, but his desire is to get through with the present affair and go abroad, preferably to America, for further education. He likes foreigners, and makes frequent informal visits to the homes of foreign residents of Mukden. He is also fond of the "movies."

Miss Booker saw Chang Tso-lin's flying field where Chinese graduates of the Curtiss Flying School have forty planes at their disposal for training pilots. She also visited the drill grounds where two Chinese gradustes of West Point are teaching modern tactics to selected Fengtien contingents. The most interesting sight of all was the camel machine-gun squad. Each of these dignified but ludicrous beasts had a modern light gun, in complete readiness for action, strapped upon either side.

SEES WAR SUPPLIES

Machine guns, and field wireless, telephone and telegraph equipment were among the supplies which Miss Booker saw being loaded for shipment. She sensed, in Mukden, an atmosphere of intense preparation for large and aggressive action. Trains on the Peking-Mukden Railway either way were several hours late.

To Miss Booker, as to most persons meeting the Fengtien Super-

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Pastor's Own Oil Paintings Illustrate His Sermons

SOMETHING new in sermons from the pulpit is being introduced in the Pillar of Fire Church, Brooklyn N. Y., by its poet-painter-preacher, the Rev. Branford Clarke. He is drawing his sermons around oil paintings, executed by himself, on religious and allegorical subjects. Dr. Clarke has won some distinction in the art world. He received his early training at the Birkbeck Institute in London and later was a student at the Slade Art School of London University. It was while studying there that he became so impressed with the missionaries of the Pillar of Fire Church that he joined them and studied for the ministry. The photos show Dr. Clarke as he appears in his pulpit and at his easel.

Confucius Left Host Of Descendants At Chu'fu

By Elsie McCormick

(This is the second of a series of articles on Chu'fu, the birthplace of Confucius.)

On our way to the birthplace of Confucius, we didn't do any speeding except vertically. If we could only have done as much traveling on the level as we did up and down, we would have arrived in Chu'fu almost before we started. The driver of our Peking cart, however, became so absorbed in the newest spring mode as interpreted by our copy of Harper's Bazaar that he was willing to let his blooded nag do anything it pleased, provided only that it didn't sit down. If his amount of concentration is any criterion, we may expect to see that section of Shantung break out this year in evening headdresses by Erte and draped sleeves by Premet.

Chu'fu is a town of about 10,000 inhabitants, practically all of whom belong to the clan of Confucius. It is a community of artisans, farmers, and petty merchants, differing in no apparent degree from an average Shantung town without pretensions to distinguished ancestry. At the time of our visit the annual Tsing-Ming fair was in progress and the crowd around the pitchfork department, the Punch and Judy shows, and the stand-up restaurants didn't look especially as if they included China's greatest philosopher in the family. Chu'fu runs true to Confucian form, however, by being an educational center. There are two normal schools in its limits, a few primary classes and an institution on the grounds of the Confucian Temple where small boys are instructed in large books and where the ancient music of Confucius' day is played on silk-stringed lutes and soft-toned chimes.

UNDERGROUND TOWN

By far the largest section of the town is underground. In a country where the most popular prayer is for a hundred sons, one family can, during the course of 2,500 years, achieve quite a fair number of progeny. When all of them are housed together in one cemetery, the roll becomes so numerous that the group would almost rate a last trump and Judgment Day all of its own.

The first impression a visitor has of Chu'fu is of the long wall enclosing the cemetery and the tops of the cedar trees against the sky. Although Shantung has been deforested until the hills are bare and the people gather every blade of dry grass, they still respect the twisted pines that line the holy way up Tsishan and the cedars which protect from evil influences the graves of their respected dead.

To go to the grave of Confucius one passes through a long aisle of cedar trees, enters a gate inscribed with the characters, "Most holy teacher," crosses a marble bridge over a moat, and goes through another gate into the great burial place of Confucius' city of descendants. In the outermost enclosure, thousands of graves lie under the cypress trees, some of them marked by stone monoliths, but most of them simple mounds, as unpretentious as any burial-place in the middle of a Shantung field. In a smaller enclosure are the graves of some of Confucius' disciples, and beyond them a temple on the site of which the Great Teacher is supposed to have offered sacrifice.

Solemnly facing each other on either side of the path leading to the temple entrance are six stone figures. Two are human beings, but the other four would defy classification even by the curator of the Smithsonian Institute.

CROSS EYED GUARDIAN

A cross-eyed guardian told us that two of them, which remotely resemble huge cats, always accompanied Confucius on his travels. One listened when strange tongues were spoken and the other, with a cautious paw at the side of his mouth, interpreted them into his Master's ear. We don't know what strange tongues Confucius could have encountered in his wanderings through two or three provinces, but then the beasts were probably useful in retailing bits of gossip which his dignity would not permit him to listen to from human beings. The other pair of animals were unhorselike horses that were supposed to have drawn the Sage's cart, and the men were two disciples who acted as servants.

When we asked the cross-eyed guardian the age of the stone figures, he assured us that they were three thousand

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WU READY TO START OFFENSIVE; AWAITS HIS ARTILLERYMEN

Onslaught Against Chang Tso-lin's Vanguard To Start In Three Days, If Present Plans Of Chihli Leader Are Carried Out

OFFICERS EAGER FOR HOSTILITIES

Skirmishes Reported Between Outposts Of Opposing Factions, But Without Serious Results; Fengtien Troops Gloomy

(Staff Wire to the China Press)

Paotingfu, April 27.—General Wu Pei-fu arrived today in Liuliho, 35 miles south of Peking, where 3,000 Chihli troops are spread along a 20-mile battle front, facing the Fengtien forces across the Liu Li River. The Chihli offensive is being held up for three days in order to enable the artillery to open the combat.

The morale of the Chihli Army is excellent. Officers in the lower rank are especially keen for the commencement of military operation. A flank advance by General Wang Chen-ping, in command of the 23rd Division at Hokien, will check any Fengtien drive that may be planned along the highway between Tientsin and Paoting, it is declared.

The arrival of Wu, accompanied by Madame Wu, has greatly quieted the apprehension of the residents of Paotingfu.

The aggressive spirit of the Fengtien troops is completely evaporated, according to Wu's intelligence.

Wu Kwan-hsin, the Anfuite, who was but recently released from the Japanese Legation in Peking, after equipping an expedition of bandits from Dairen, has succeeded in ransacking Lungkow in Northern Shantung, where the Japanese first landed their troops before their seige of Tsingtau.

Peking, April 28.—Skirmishes between patrols of the warring cliques took place yesterday morning South of Changhsintien. The casualties were slight. The report carried by Reuters that Chang Tso-lin has arrived in Chunliangchen is untrue. General Sun Lien-chen, commander of the Fengtien forces this side of the Great Wall, is coming to Tientsin.

The mediators are still striving to arrange for Chang Tso-lin and Tsao Kun to meet. This move is regarded as the only hope for a peaceful settlement of the crisis.

The Chinese newspapermen here are advocating an amicable solution of the differences between the two cliques and a general plan of disarmament. They will meet on Sunday to formulate their plans.

BY JOSEF W. HALL

Staff Correspondent the China Press

Peking, April 20.—Propagandists and reporters who may be mislead by rumor seem to be endeavoring to start the war before the rival generals do. The report has been repeatedly sent out that Fengtien soldiers were pouring through the Chaoyangmen east gate of the city in such an incessant stream day and night that the gatemen are threatened with collapse from lack of sleep; that temples outside this gate are being fitted up as barracks; that Fengtien troops are advancing down the Kin-Han railway in quantity; that the President has prepared for flight from his palace upon a moment's notice, etc. The spreaders of these rumors usually start out with the stock line that they have no desire to cause undue anxiety to the reading public and that everything must be taken with a grain of salt, but—etc.

As a matter of fact, the Chaoyangmen has not been passed through by more than a squad of Fengtien soldiery at a time, the Temple of the Eighteen Hells still houses nothing more dangerous than the devils frescoed upon its walls, and the gatekeepers of the Sunrise Gate are in their accustomed health and peace of mind and are getting their usual eighteen hours of sleep daily. A few Fengtien cavalry have proceeded from Nanyuan cross country to Changhsintien on the Peking-Hankow line, which is only seven miles. A "police guard" of Fengtien soldiery have been in Changhsintien since Chang Tso-hsiang had his headquarters there during the Anfu war. Their increase by a few score or hundred means nothing. The President is firmer in his palace today than he has been for two months.

One is led to suspect that the Chiaotung clique, which controls most of the publicity in Peking since Liang Shih-yi fired petty officials and diverted their salaries to newspapermen, is becoming worried lest the delay in the outbreak of hostilities militate against its ambitions, and is endeavoring to bring it on by rumormongering.

TSIANG TSENG CHANGES MIND; JOINS HO IN PEACE NOTE

Local Tension Greatly Lessened As Admiral Turns About Face

WOOSUNG SILENT

Forts Allow Gunboat To Proceed Without Interference

Local tension was considerably relieved yesterday when Admiral Tsiang Tseng, Commander-in-chief of the Chinese Navy who had openly cast his lot with Wu pei-fu, joined with General Ho Feng-lin, the Defense Commissioner, in circulating a telegram undertaking to keep the peace and tranquility of Shanghai and its vicinity by their naval and military forces.

While the action of Admiral Tsiang in despatching the message may appear inconsistent with his previous attitude, it is understood that much pressure was brought to bear upon the Chief of the Chinese admiraby to devise means of exempting Shanghai from the political whirlpool and as a result, the admiral was compelled more or less to make a "turn-about-face" in his views.

Admiral Tsiang also denied that Admiral Sah had come to Shanghai with $500,000 with which to buy over the Chinese navy vessels stationed here, de-

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(Reuter Pacific Service)

Tientsin, April 28.—General Yang I-teh, acting Civil Governor of Chihli, proclaimed martial law in Tientsin yesterday afternoon, including the right to open and censor all letters and telegrams.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, April 28.—General Wu Pei-fu has telegraphed to the Legations recounting the alleged iniquities of General Chang Tso-lin and adding that these scandals

must be removed. He then exhorts the Legations not to permit foreign assistance to General Chang Tso-lin such as funds, arms, munitions et cetera and not to allow foreign military experts to enter the Fengtien ranks.

An unimportant and unpremeditated clash between the Chihli and Fengtien forces occurred near Liuliho yesterday.

Several casualities occurred by rifle fire. The Fengtien army is astride of the Hunho, South of Langfang, but is gradually going Westwards, under the command of General Chang Hsueh-liang, General Chang Tso-lin's son. This indicates that the battle region will be Yungtsing, where the rival forces are 18 miles apart, but General Wu Pei-fu's famous Third Division apparently has not yet left Loyang and none of General Feng Yu-hsiang's men have yet been seen. Otherwise the situation has not changed. The British, American, French and Japanese commandants at Tientsin met yesterday and discussed measures to protect communications from Peking to the sea.

(China Press Correspondence)

Peking, April 20 (delayed).—The forces which Chang Tso-lin has deployed south of the Great Wall to date, are entirely inadequate to constitute even a serious threat to Wu Pei-fu, in the opinion of foreign military observers. If the Manchurian satrap has reached the limit of his expeditionary resources, as might be indicated by the lull of the past four days, it would seem that his action is to constitute nothing more than an ineffectual bluff.

That the Mukden forces themselves realise this is indicated by their failure to seize the opportunity created by the Honan intrigue for beginning of hostilities. The result of this faux pas has been to throw the Honan army definitely over to Wu Pei-fu. At the same time, as the non-partial observer anticipated, but not as Chang Tso-lin expected, Shantung and Chihli are turning against Fengtien in proportion to the latter's encroachment upon their territory.

Wu Pei-fu's war-scarred forces from Yochow, moving by the Hsuchow cross-line into Shantung, are being given every facility, and it seems likely that the Tehchow arsenal, which Chang Tso-lin considered to be as good as his, will go into Wu's hands. If General Wu can restrain in his native province his arrogant manner which turned Hupeh against him, there is reason to believe that the resources of this province will be securely at his disposal.

BLOCKED ON BOTH RAILWAYS

Wu Pei-fu, therefore, has Chang Tso-lin blocked upon both lines. Information in foreign hands here is to the effect that there are not more than 9,000 Fengtien troops on the Tientsin-Pukow Railway, and that these have not penetrated more than a few stations beyond Tientsin. Upon the Peking-Hankow line Wu Pei-fu has placed six-thousand men at Liuliho, 49 miles south of Peking where he deployed against the Anfus two years ago. He would probably like to draw his new enemies onto this old battlefield, where his men are confident of themselves.

As a second line he has a brigade at Chowchow, half-way between Peking and Paotingfu and a division and brigade as a third line at Paotingfu. He has manifested no nervousness over the handful of men that Chang Tso-lin has sent out from Nanyuan to the railway at Changhsintien, between Liuliho and Peking.

Foreign observers report that sixty-three troop trains in all have left Mukden, fourty-eight of which have come south of the Great Wall. These have been only half loaded, bearing some 500 men each. Thus Chang Tso-lin would seem to have brought 25,000 men south of the wall, in addition to the some 30,000 which he already had about Peking and Kalgan.

AMERICAN ON SCOUT DUTY

Chang Tso-lin is now checking up to see what is the effect of his troop movement. The visit of his American adviser, Mr. E. Carleton Baker, to Peking and Tientsin may be in part in this connection as Chang is known to be somewhat purturbed at the attitude of foreign residents to his moves. It is believed that the Supertuchun is rather disappointed at the results gained thus far, and that he will speak in a milder tone for a time.

The next moves are much more likely to be political than military. The writer does not believe that Liang Shih-yi will have the temerity to return to Peking, and the President will do everything in his power to prevent it.

Whether Chang will go ahead with his declared plan of summoning a Conference is also in doubt, as it now seems certain that Tsao Kun will not take part, and Sun Yat-sen's attitude and movements are proving a great disappointment to Chang.

The only persons whom he could depend upon to sit at a Conference he might call today would be the Chiaotung Clique, Anfus and other unattached harassed scoundrels, and it is not necessary for him to call a Conference to deal with these.

"NO FIGHT FOR US"

Lanhsien, April 22 (delayed).—The Fengtien soldiers stationed here are requiring the district magistrate to provide large supplies of grain, straw, provisions etc., as they say a considerable body of troops will be quartered within the city itself.

They freely say that they have no desire or intention to fight, and are looking forward to the opportunity for looting. Hence their desire to be in the city, where they can take advantage of the first reports of defeat and retreat.

The Government Girls' Schools have all closed, and the Mission Girls' School is now sending its pupils to their homes. All railroad bridges along this section are heavily guarded by Fengtien soldiers.

What has become of the brave patriots whose favorite slogan is "abolish extra-territoriality and foreign concessions in China." Probably as soon as they have secured themselves and their valuables in the foreign concessions of Tientsin and Shanghai, and recovered their breath after the rapid run, they will resume their attacks on the evil institution whose protection they are enjoying.

Notes On The Situation

No clash of any magnitude has been recorded between the Fengtien and Chihli forces, although the Chihli forces at Liuliho, Chihli, has been mobilised and ordered to proceed to Lukow, now occupied by the Fengtien army.

The West wing of the Mukden forces under the command of General Ching-hui has shortened its fighting line between Sanchiatien and Changsingtien where the cream of the army is being concentrated to strike at Wu. The Peking-Suiyuan Railway has been utilised for the transport of reinforcement. The East wing is being taken over by General Chang Tso-hsiang, brother of Chang Tso-lin, at Langfang.

In his speech before an assembly of military officers in Paotingfu, General Wu Pei-fu stated that all must put up a desperate fight in order to survive the coming struggle. Otherwise, the Chihli army would fare worse than the Anfu Army did at the Chihli-Anfu fight, because the Anfuites still maintain a section of their influence in the country.

The Presidential Office has denied the report that Wang Shih-chen has been asked to organise a Cabinet. Friends of the president say that even if an internal war is averted a conference must be called to readjust matters before a Cabinet can be appointed.

With the exception of the office in Kaifeng, the Banks of China and of Communications have been closed in all Honan cities by their head offices.

For the second time the Diplomatic Corps has addressed a protest with the Peking Government against the stationing of troops in Tanku and Chinwangtao.

General Wu has arrived in Paotingfu as a result of the first skirmish between his and Fengtien troops about 40 li east of Paoting. After his departure, his troops have been placed under the command of Tuchun Feng Yu-hsiang of Shensi.

In view of the pending military operation along the Lunghai Railway, the French, Belgian and Dutch Ministers to Peking have jointly addressed a note to the Central Government, reserving their right to file their claims for damages in case of an armed conflict which might effect the lives and property of the residents along the line.

Colonel F. V. Holt, the Technical Advisor to the Aeronautical Department, has suggested the aeroplanes at Tsing Ho and Nanyuan be used for commercial purposes during the period of interruption along the Peking-Hankow and Tientsin-Pukow Railways.

The Mukden forces have already spent $10,000,000 in connection with their entry within the Great Wall and on the establishment of army bases. Only $5,000,000 is left for operation expenses, it is understood.

General Wu Pei-fu has employed Chang Chi-tang, former Minister of Agriculture and Commerce, as High Advisor to his army.

Sun's Men Seize Ships In South

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Hongkong, April 28.—It is reported from Canton that the crews of the Northern Squadron anchored in the Whampoa were suddenly overpowered and made prisoners by some of Dr. Sun Yat-sen's men who seized the vessels.

Mixed Court Hits Fake Registrations

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pened before the accused was registered and he asked the Court to remand the case for the Japanese Assessor.

The Assessor: These certificates are valueless. The Court will take jurisdiction in this case. In all these cases the accused must prove that they have ceased to be Chinese citizens. I remand it to tomorrow for the Japanese Assessor. Accused is a Chinese citizen, and therefore subject to the jurisdiction of this Court.

Later, at 11 a.m. Chief Inspector Wheeler informed the Court that Mr. Hartigan had come to Court and desired to produce a letter addressed to the Registrar, from the Spanish Consulate. The letter was read by the Assessor. It was as follows:

TEXT OF LETTER

"Sir,—Re Ling Yin Sen. Having been informed by Messrs. Allan and Hartigan, Counsel for the above named Ling Yin Sen, that their client has been wrongfully arrested by the S. M. Police and is to be brought before the Mixed Court, I have the honor to inform you that Ling Yin Sen is registered in this Consulate and that any charge against him has to be filed with this Consular Court. (Signed) The Spanish Consul."

Chief Inspector Wheeler stated that Mr. Allan had rung him up on the telephone in the morning and mentioned that a Spanish protege had been arrested.

The Inspector added: "I told him that I had been instructed by you to say that the accused would have to come to Court and plead jurisdiction in this Court. I mention this as no one appeared in Court when the case came up for trial."

The Assessor: It is alleged that the accused is a Spanish protege, but that does not take him out of the jurisdiction of this Court. He must prove that he has ceased to be a Chinese citizen. Has he got a certificate of denaturalisation from the Ministry of the Interior in Peking? Nationality is not like a suit of clothes which you can put on and take off at will.

Mr. Hartigan: He has his right as a protege.

The Assessor: A protege has less rights than a citizen, and in that case, it is not even alleged that he has ceased to be a Chinese citizen. You, Mr. Hartigan, are an American citizen and if you went to the Spanish Consulate and got registered as a Spanish citizen, do you think that your Court would recognise that and allow you to evade its jurisdiction, or do you think that the British Court would let me escape if I did wrong, just because I got myself registered as a Spanish protege? The only real effect this registration has is that a man is liable to be sued in two Courts instead of one. This question of foreign registration of Chinese has become such an absolute scandal, that I am determined to do all in my power to stop it. Within the last three weeks some 10 or 12 cases have been brought to my attention in which Chinese defendants have attempted to evade and actually have evaded justice by getting foreign registration or protectect foreign proteges.

Mr. Hartigan: There are articles in the Spanish Law which empower them to take and protect Foreign proteges.

The Assessor:—We are not concerned with what may be Spanish Law on this subject. This is a Chinese Court and a man must prove that he has ceased to be a Chinese Citizen and has duly obtained a certificate of denaturalisation from the Ministry of the Interior.

Mr. Hartigan produced the certificate and said that the certificate was dated March 14, 1922.

The Assessor:—But he was a Chinese citizen all the rest of his life up to that date and only when he got into trouble that he ran round to the Spanish Consulate and got protection.

Mr. Hartigan:—But he is entitled to the protection of the Spanish Consulate.

The Assessor:—He is a Chinese Citizen.

Mr. Harilgan:—This practice of protection by foreign consulates has been in force for a long time and I thought that this Court would not go behind the certificate of protection of a foreign Consulate.

The Assessor:—The abuse of this registration has grown to such a serious proportion, that we have to go behind them in the interests of justice. If the Consul for Spain wishes to make objection, he can take the matter up officially through the proper channels.

Mr. Hartigan replied:—There are hundreds of these proteges in the French Concession.

The Assessor:—Yes, but the French Mixed Court will not look at their certificates and I do not intend to do so either.

PARIS EXHIBIT

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, April 27.—An exhibition devoted to the treatment of animals in Chinese art has opened at the Cernuschi Museum. The exhibits include paintings and sculptures from China and bronzes, all representing various animals as depicted from the early stages down to modern times.

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DR. FREDERIC LEE GOES TO PEKING, JOINS LEGATION

Dr. Frederic E. Lee, American Economist Consul who has been on detail at the American Consulate General here for the past year and a half for economic investigational work in China has been transferred to the American Legation, Peking, to continue the same line of work but to pay particular attention to government finance. He is leaving with his family today for Peking by the Tungchow to Tientsin.

Dr. Lee will remain on this detail at the Legation for at least six months after which time he expects to return to America on home leave.

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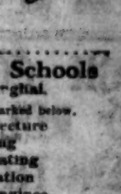

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Confucius Left Host Of Descendants At Chu'fu

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years old. We thereupon entered the mild chronological objection that as Confucius was born only a little over 2,500 years ago, the statistics were somewhat out of gear. The guardian pondered it for a moment, then came to the surface with the triumphant remark, "I know they are 3,000 years old, because a very old man told me so." Of course, that was that; and in the face of such authority we offered no further objections. We didn't even ask the name of the seventh daughter of the seventh daughter who had inspired the sculptor to go to work 500 years ahead of his contract.

The temple might have been pretentious once, but its chief ornaments now are a dragon screen and the cross-eyed guardian. There were none of the original sacrificial vessels on display, which fact considerably astonished us. If Confucius' pet temple had been located in Southern Europe or the Near East, they would have shown us, not only his favorite sacrificial vessels, but those of his aunt, his third cousin, and his step-brother. For an additional carmsha, we probably could have seen his best screw-driver, his trained can-opener, and his educated latch-key. China has not been in the tourist-catering business long enough to understand the craving for seeing originals and the public's fondness for having something put over on it. When a traveler asks a Chinese guide if various objects in sight really belonged to Confucius, he says "No", thus ruining good material for a letter home or for a newspaper article. In Europe his reply would be affirmative. The tourist wouldn't believe him, of course, but then there is always hope that the family at home might.

The farther door of the little temple opens on the sacred enclosure containing the graves of Confucius, his son, and his grandson. On one side of the cypress-bordered path is a tree stump wearing an iron corset and cherished because it was reputed to have been planted by one of the Sage's disciples. Here again we were impressed with the distance that China must travel before she reaches the attitude toward relics maintained by the West. The tree was absolutely free from carved initials and not a piece of bark had been sliced off for a souvenir. China should be required to pull her civilization to a higher level before being allowed the full privileges of the League of Nations.

TOMB OF GRANDSON

A little distance from the path is the first of the three tombs, that of Confucius' grandson. If it had not been for the press-agenting ability of Tsz-sz, Confucius' fame would probably not have extended beyond the range of a few provinces and a few centuries. The Sage died embittered because of his lack of renown, exclaiming only a few years before his death, "Alas! There is no one who knows me. My doctrines make no way."

Tsz-sz edited his grandfather's books, preached his ethics, and taught in a little country school a few li from Chu'fu. One of his pupils was Mencius, a strong personality who later became the St. Paul of Confucianism. It was in Tsz-sz's class-room that Mencius resolved to give his life to the spread of the sage's doctrines. "I have never seen the face of my teacher, but I feel that I have always known him," Mencius said after he began his life work. Mencius had a strong missionary spirit coupled with a personality, which, though less human and loveable than that of his master, was undoubtedly more forceful. He hammered at the vices of the feudal dukes, make remarks in court that for anyone else would have resulted in strangulation, and could cause erring ministers to break into a perspiration by merely clearing his throat. Without the zealous missionary work of Mencius, Confucianism would have crumbled into the dust of the Shantung plains at the end of a few hundred years.

TALKED ONCE TO FATHER

The visitor passes a few Sung dynasty tablets in red pavilions, then turns at right angles and stops before the grave of Confucius' son, an inconspicuous personality who recorded only one conversation with his father, consisting of not more than six sentences. When asked if the Sage fed him bits of wisdom denied to the disciples, his son admitted that he had talked only once with his father since childhood. Evidently the master show-ed no favoritism because of family ties, and would undoubtedly be astonished to see the elaborate defense still paid to his direct descendants.

The grave of Confucius himself is as simple as any ascetic could have desired. A gray stone surmounted by twisted dragons, an incense burner, and a stone table holding two battered pewter candlesticks are all that mark the burial-place of the man who has moulded the thought of millions of people during a period of 2,500 years. For a people inclined to love gaudiness and glitter, the grave is a triumph of dignity, simplicity and restraint. After having seen the extravagant marble angels of American cemeteries and the stuffy mausoleums covered with bead wreaths that crowd the burial-places of France, one feels that China can give the rest of the world lessons in expressing simple reverence for the dead.

There are no laudatory inscriptions in Confucius' tomb, the three characters bearing his name are regarded as eloquently sufficient. Even the talkative cross-eyed guardian said merely "Kung Fu-tze" and then left us to the company of the Sage.

Chang Tells His Motive For Drive

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tuchun for the first time, Chang Tso-lin appeared "too nice a little man" to live up to his generally accepted reputation. But she maintains that she departed from Mukden, in spite of the feeling that it would be best to say anything unpleasant about him, determined to remain uninfluenced in her reports and observations.

Miss Booker is now in Peking where she has been appointed an audience with the President. Although Legation authorities assured her that such an audience was out of the question, it appears to have come very easily indeed since official circles have learned that she was received by the Mukden lord.

European Mails Taken Out Today By S.S. Amazone

The steamer Amazone of the Messageries Maritimes sails today with mails for Europe. Ordinary letters will be received at the French Post Office up to 10 a.m. registered mails closing an hour earlier.

The Amazone, which arrived from Kobe yesterday morning, will sail at noon from the S.M.R. Whangpoo Wharf, where passengers will embark.

"The Skin Game"

A second performance of "The Skin Game," A. D. C. production which so pleased a packed house at the Lyceum Thursday evening, will be given at the same theater tonight. The performance starts at 9:15 o'clock and the audience is requested to be in its seats by that time.

NARA TEMPLE BURNS

(Reuter Pacific Service)

Tokio, April 22.—Fire yesterday at Nara destroyed the Kangakuin, a famous historical temple.

BELOVED HERETIC, CHUANG TSU, IS LECTURE SUBJECT

How Chuang Tsu, "the Beloved Heretic," shocked the orthodox and yet was cherished in many hearts in spite of his heterodoxy was told by Mrs. Samuel Couling of Medhurst College, London Mission Society, before the Literary Department of the American Woman's Club in the Royal Asiatic Society's Rooms yesterday afternoon.

In introducing the speaker of the afternoon, Mrs. Wilbur, the chairman of the Department, referred to the debt the members of the Department were under to Mrs. Couling who had collaborated in the publication of the Encyclopedia Sinica, a most valuable book of reference.

In presenting the character of Chuang Tsu, Mrs. Couling carried her hearers back on the "magic carpet" of history to 330 B. C. and the last lap of the Chou Dynasty, into the period of the "Seven Fighting States." The little boy Chuang Tsu grew up in the state of Liang in a time of political troubles and lamentations for the bygone glories of the dynasty. Later, though twice incited to be Premier of Chou he declined and retired to the country to end his days in meditation and study.

Comparatively little is known of his life. His philosophical attitude on the death of his first wife is chronicled, also his second unhappy match, and he is credited with a third spouse, young and beautiful. A sarcastic skit on women is attributed to him, but incorrectly, the speaker ruled.

Believing that "every man walketh in a vain show," Chuang Tsu turned to Taoism, as to nonconformity and produced a book of 53 chapters, consisting of the "Inside, Outside, and Miscellaneous Writings," on idealistic themes. The three outstanding factors of his belief were first the relativity of all things, that ordinary judgments were worthless; second the mis-called doctrine of "Inaction," the conviction that "to make no effort is the best of efforts" and that fussy, bustling people do more harm than good—a tenet later held by that New England prophet of Taoism, Emerson; and third, his attitude of opposition to the teachings of Confucius.

Such were the heretical holdings of this lofty mystic but he was beloved by his countrymen and foreigners alike because of his winsome personality, his unrivalled literary style and his deep knowledge of the springs of human emotion. Mrs. Couling, with her instinctive feeling for the effective phrase and sympathetic expression, described this beloved heretic as one "who yearned for the God whom he could not see as a candle leaps toward the sun." A large number of friends of the department heard this eloquent and informing address.

The next meeting of the department will be held on Friday, May 12, at which time papers will be read by Mrs. J. J. Brenneman on Shi Wang-ti, the Napoleon of China, and by Mrs. H. E. Davis on "The Poetry of the Early Period."

Concert Tonight

A grand concert the program of which includes numbers from many of the great composers will be given at the Town Hall tonight by Mme. M. B. Tcherkasskaia, prima donna of the Russian Imperial Opera, and Mr. N. M. Bravin, baritone, previously a favorite of the Moscow theaters.

Numbers by Verdi, Tsaikovsky, Rimsky-Korsakoff, Borodin, Rachmaninoff and others are among the selections to be given by these two popular artists, who will be accompanied on the piano by Prof. Joseph Yasser. The concert begins at 9:15 o'clock and booking is at Moutrie's.

Obituary

MR. FRANK A. McGRATH

Funeral services were held yesterday for the late Mr. Frank Andrew McGrath, pioneer leather expert in many parts of the East and more recently manager of the Kwong Sing Li tannery here, who died suddenly on Thursday—his seventieth birthday.

Mass of Requiem was celebrated at St. Joseph's Church yesterday morning by the Rev. Father John A. Croke, S. J., who also conducted the services at the church in the afternoon. Burial was at Bubbling Well Cemetery at 5:30 p.m. in the presence of a large number of friends, both foreign and Chinese.

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JEWS AND ARABS WIDELY APART ON PALESTINE POLICY

Moslems Take Issue With Balfour's Opinions

(Reuter's Service)

Jerusalem, March 16.—The divisions between the Arabs and Zionists over the establishment of the Jewish Homeland in Palestine is becoming more clearly defined as the two opposing elements clash.

Before Mr. Winston Churchill told the Arab delegation in London a few weeks ago that the creation of a national independent government in Palestine could not be sanctioned now, the Arabs had hopes that the Balfour declaration would be scrapped and that an independent Arab Palestine would be set up under British advisors.

Jamal Effendi El Husseini, Secretary of the Christian Moslem Committee whose aim is to combat Zionism, told the Associated Press correspondent that the Balfour declaration was "unjust and impracticable because it tends to sacrifice 500,000 souls on the cross of political Zionism. It is impracticable because it does not solve the Jewish problem since Palestine can at most accommodate only 2,000,000 of the 14,000,000 of Jews in the world."

Mr. Husseini defined the demands of the Arabs as including the right of Palestine to have control of its internal affairs and of Jewish immigration, the privilege of administering its own finances and revocation of the order that a Palestine police force be organised by recruiting former British soldiers.

"We do not resent the thought of a British protectorate, provided we are permitted to retain our national entity," said Mr. Husseini. "We are willing to permit our foreign relations to be dominated by the British policy." He pointed to the example of Malta as one which Palestinians would be glad to emulate.

The Arab leader charged that the economic development of Palestine had been retarded since the Zionist organisation gained ascendancy and declared that at the Palestine government, at the request of Zionists, was refusing to grant concessions to either English or American companies and consequently the land was economically stagnant.

He declared that the only solution to the Palestine problem would be a return to the starting point after the armistice and a settlement in conformity with the wishes of the Arab population.

The other side of the picture is presented by Levi Solomon, a leading Zionist in Palestine who declared that the Jews were anxious and ready to do everything "in their power to cre friendly relations and mutual understanding with their brethern the Arabs who are of the same semitic race."

"The presence of the Jews in Palestine is far from being prejudicial to the interests of the Arabs," he said. "On the contrary it has proved very beneficial."

He enumerated a number of enterprises which are being undertaken or planned by Jews. These included the Ruttenburg scheme for the generation of electricity, the Haifa bonded ware houses for facilitating foreign trade, harbor improvements of Jaffa to name it a navigable port all the year round and the building of several factories. These, he said, were only a few of the many Jewish schemes for the building up of Palestine.

Chinese Women Offered Course In Business Training

A new course for business women will be opened by the Young Women's Christian Association, 11a Quinsan Road on May 1, the course to cover a period of six months' study.

The head of the business school will be Mrs. R. A. Cristy, who will be assisted by other foreign women instructors.

Graduates of middle and high schools are eligible and entrance examinations in English will be held on the first two days of the course.

The new course will include business English and correspondence, typewriting, filing, business arithmetic, and business standards.

Beginning May 1, there will be a course in English for students who have not enough English to enter the Business School with this class, but who would like to enter a later course beginning September 1.

SMALLPOX IN TOKIO

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, April 22.—In spite of the desperate efforts being made by the authorities, smallpox threatens to spread throughout the city of Tokio. Several fresh cases are reported in Fukagawa, and the other infected quarters, while thirteen cases are also reported from Ushigome, and four from Yotsuya districts.

MUTT & JEFF — Their Place Is On A Dance Floor Shimmying — By Bud Fisher

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News Brevities

We are informed that at the next ordinary general meeting of shareholders of the Yangtsze Insurance Association, Ltd., to be held on May 16, 1922, at 4:30 p.m. the directors will recommend the payment of a dividend to shareholders of 20 percent, or $2 per share.

A Presidential mandate under date of April 26 appointed Mr. M. T. Liang, high advisor to the Chinese delegation to the Washington Conference, director for the Retrocession of Weihaiwei.

The First Class Chiaoho has been conferred upon Dr. C. T. Wang, Director of Shantung Rehabilitation.

On account of the internecine warfare, the North China Athletic Meet will be postponed.

Civil Governor Wu Ting-fang of Canton has appointed Mr. Kuo Tai-chi Commissioner for Political Affairs, according to a Kuo Wen News Agency despatch.

We are informed that at the next ordinary general meeting of shareholders of the Far Eastern Insurance Co., Ltd., to be held on May 1, 1922 at 3:30 p.m. at the Yangtsze Insurance Building the directors will recommend the payment of a dividend to shareholders of 6 percent—Taels 1.20 per share.

Arrested on the Settlement side of Avenue Edward VII with twelve cakes of opium in his possession, a Chinese who appeared before Assessor Blackburn and Magistrate Li at the Mixed Court yesterday was fined $50.

The Shanghai Municipal Police Reserves will hold a smoker concert at the Masonic Hall on May 6.

The art exibition at the British Women's Association headquarters will remain open until this evening.

The International Mixed Court will be closed on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons on account of the Spring races. The usual criminal courts will be held each morning.

During the Spring races the Shanghai Licensed Pilots' Association will be open for business from 9 a.m. until noon.

Women of Japan will be legally entitled to attend political meetings of any sort after May 5. On that date the revised Article Five of the Police Law, which was passed at the last session of the Diet, will be enforced, having been promulgated. The new measure grants women this new privilege.

Mr. J. Beudin and Mrs. Beudin will sail for Paris on the s.s. Amazone today on a combined business and pleasure trip.

Lane, Crawford and Company, Ltd. will hold their annual general meeting at 9A Nanking Road on May 18.

The ninth annual general meeting of the Kapala Islands Estates, Ltd. will be held on May 4.

The Cercle Sportif Francais will hold their annual general meeting this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Gordon Price announce the birth of a son at the Victoria Nursing Home on April 27.

Rice is now selling at $12 per picul as the result of importations of rice from Siam, according to the Chinese press.

The Municipal offices will be open for business during the Spring races from 8:30 until 11 a.m.

Mr. John Foord, editor of "Asia" and a well known writer on Far East subjects is dead in the United States as a result of injuries received in an automobile accident, according to word just received here.

Four men were killed in a fireworks factory explosion at Fusan, Japan, last week.

Reports from Japan say that the government will withdraw all ten-sen notes from circulation and replace them with nickel coins by 1924. The ten-sen silver coins will also be withdrawn.

According to the Osaka Mainichi the Japanese Naval authorities have found after experiments that it is possible to use bean oil as a substitute for heavy oil as fuel. The bean oil makers in Osaka and neighboring districts, learning of this, are talking of applying to the Navy and Army Department to devise means for encouragement of the industry, if it is true that the oil can actually be used for fuel.

According to official returns just published by the Department of Agriculture and Commerce, the total output of salt in Japan during last fiscal year amounted to over 850,000,000 kin, which shows a decrease of something like forty million kin compared with the figures for the preceding year. The decrease is attributed to insufficient rain.

The owner of a teashop at 157 Kashing Road was arrested Thursday night charged with assaulting a Chinese policeman. The policemen is said to have reported the teashop for allowing gambling, and the owner, in retaliation, got a gang of loafers together and assaulted him. The policeman's uniform was torn and the sling on his carbine broken.

Three hundred famine refugees from Hunan created a disturbance in Pootung Thursday which was only stopped when the merchants paid them 3,000 coppers. The refugees were begging for food and money but were refused by the merchants. In retaliation they began robbing the shop keepers of vegetables and fuel, forcing the shops to put up their shutters for protection. Then the refugees began looting houses and were only stopped when they were given cumsha.

According to advices reaching the local offices of the American-West China Navigation Company, the company's new steamer Mei Ren arrived at Chungking from Ichang Thursday morning, having made the trip in three and a half days. The Mei Ren has a full cargo and passenger list and sails from Chungking for Ichang tomorrow morning.

It is announced that owing to unavoidable circumstances the official opening of the Tientsin-Pukow Railway Hotels at Tsinanfu and Chufou, which was to have taken place today, has been indefinitely postponed.

The inter-school sports of the Public School for Chinese will be held at Hongkew Park commencing at 2 p.m. on May 5.

Forewell Banquet To Student Delegates Will Be Held Tonight

The National Committees of the Y.M.C.A. and Y.W.C.A. of China and the Boards of Directors of the Shanghai Y.M.C.A. and Shanghai Y.W.C.A. will be hosts tonight at a farewell banquet given in honor of the foreign delegates of sixteen countries to the World's Student Christian Federation Conference now in Shanghai.

This banquet was originally to be held at the Y. P. S. Restaurant, but owing to lack of space it has now been changed to the Ningpo Guild, also on Thibet Road. Dr. David Yui will be the toastmaster of the evening while speeches will be given by several of the foreign delegates. Dr. John R. Mott will be the main speaker of the evening.

Mrs. Margaret Sanger Visits Soochow Today

Mrs. Margaret Sanger, famous birth control advocate who is at present touring the Far East, leaves Shanghai for a visit to Soochow today. She will confer with educators in Soochow and return in the evening. She leaves for Hongkong and Canton Monday.

Mrs. Sanger has been the guest of a number progressive Chinese here who are interested in the efforts of the Birth Control League and consulted with her with regard to the establishment of clinics in Shanghai. She has also visited a number of industrial plants here, including cotton mills in the Woosung district, where she was taken as the guest of Mr. Chen Chang for the purpose of making observations of child labor conditions.

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China Press Sports

SHANGHAI BASEBALL SQUAD WILL PLAY AS BLUES AND REDS THIS AFTERNOON AT 3

With All Old Players Working Against New, A Good Game Is Certain

The Shanghai baseball squad of twenty-five or more men will split into halves this afternoon for a Reds and Blues game which is expected to give a thorough tryout of all candidates for the 1922 team, both old timers and newcomers.

It is not known exactly what will be the composition of the two nines, though it is expected that all of the old men available will be lined up against the new. Hopkins will probably cover first base for one team with Holiday at second, Bills at short and Maloney, Ladd and Hendrickson at third. Scott will bear the brunt of the pitching with Grimth and C. J. Smith catching. In the outfield Posner, S. F. Smith and one or two new men will try to gather them in.

For the new men, Woods will cover first, Swinehart or Hubbard will handle second, Miccia and Brattan will work at short, and Howland at third. Church and Wynn will twirl, while Wall, Hirsh and McCarthy will do the backstopping. In the outfield a lot of good material is available, including Bruce, Wilhelmni, Cameron, Payton, Tuck, Jenkins and Brown.

The game is in the nature of a test for the selection of the first baseball team for Shanghai. With last year's team greatly weakened by departures of old timers it is necessary to select the best of the squad for the representative nine, and with the wealth of newcomers available it is necessary to get a good line on their abilities so that two local nines may be wisely selected.

The game starts at 3 o'clock. It is likely to be the best test of local talent this spring.

Hankow Spring Meet Results

Hankow, April 26.—The following are the results of the third day's racing at Hankow.

Race Club Cup. One mile:—Mr. Ark's Guedecourt. Time, 2 min. 08 sec.

China Cup. One mile and a quarter. Mr. Towne's Plain Joe. Time, 2 min. 08 sec.

China Cup. One mile and a quarter. Mr. Towne's Plain Joe. Time, 2 min. 47 2-5 sec.

Hupeh Plate. Nine furlongs. Mr. Doric's Artful Dodger. Time 2 min. 29 2-5 sec.

Grand Stand Stakes. One mile. Mr. Towne's Plain Pete. Time, 2 min. 10 4-5 sec.

Mongolian Plate. Three-quarters of a mile. Mr. Valentine's The Whippet. Time, 1 min. 32 4-5 sec.

Kiukiang Plate. Five furlongs. Mr. Doric's Pip. Time, 1 min. 17 2-5 sec.

Consolation Stakes. Nine furlongs. Mr. H. F. Baker's White Ensign. Time, 2 min. 28 2-5 sec.

The Champion Sweepstakes. One mile and a quarter. Mr. H. F. Baker's Challenger. Time, 2 min. 39 1-5 sec.

Nil Desperandum Cup. One mile. Mr. Ewo's Hotty Toity. Time, 2 min. 09 2-5 sec.

Japanese Meet Junior Golf Club Team Tomorrow

Teams representing the Japanese Golf Club and the Shangh Junior Golf Club will meet at the Hongkew Park tomorrow.

The following will represent the Junior Golf Club:

A. M. McGregor, C. H. Hopkins, J. A. Anderson, C. Richards, W. Huggett, G. Norris, J. G. Doyle, G. E. Marden, G. B. Stormes, J. Ross-Young, G. V. Jensen, W. S. Campbell, R. W. Souires, G. Manwaring, W. R. Kinnipple, E. Noakes, F. B. Walker, E. F. White, W. J. Moss.

BAYS 'BUGS' Baer: AN EYE LIKE A STUFFED EAGLE

Gink Was Chosen For Umpire Job Because Of His Keen Astigmatism

BY "BUGS" BAER

Tweet, tweet—

So that was Gink's caper was it? A beautiful patriot in Winter and a comfortable umpire in Summer? I always knew there was something sinister in Gink's method of wearing his brass knuckles at half mast.

Wasn't there one honest person in Gink's family or did they all look like their grandfather? It seems to me that the Fowler family should have been exported to Bermuda and then war declared on all islands.

Anybody's but yours,
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Therefore, we reject Mr. Bunkle's letter as conscripted luxuries and print it to show the world that nothing should ever be written on mezzanine stationery without first borrowing a stamp.

When Gink accepted the job as umpire in the Boots League, he did so after careful debate with his future. He knew that it was a dangerous job and that his life hung on the hay scales. But where danger was thickest, that's where Gink was thicker.

His first decision started a conflagration of donated pop bottles that is still raging in Roughtown. But that is stopping off the calendar. The League didn't open until April and it was only March something, so Gink went in about four directions to train for his whisk-brooming and alternate decisions.

Roughtown, Bummburg and West Horror immediately splashed into the spirit of the frolic and held monster meetings. Axadent and Toughville got jealous and held green-eyed monster meetings. There was some eating, plenty of talking and several stolen hats.

Gink swiped an extra Vienna roll, whistled for his cabbage dog and started South, fully equipped for his important confidence that was imposed on him by his fellow admirers.

Chinese Track Men Preparing For Spring Meets

(Chung Mei Service)

Chinese athletes are preparing for three large field meets to be held this Spring. The first will be the Peking Inter-Collegiate Track Meet to be held on April 29, according to the present plans of the promoters. There is to be a North China meet at Kaifeng, Honan, from May 10 to 13. Nanking will also hold another meeting under the auspices of the athletic societies there from May 18 to 20.

Many of the students have started training and a very good showing is expected. China has not yet produced many great runners but from the showing made in the recent bicycle race there is reason to suppose that some real records will be hung are being mrechandised at a figure structure endurance and strength.

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Captain Of English Lacrosse Team

Captain H. O. Hopkins, of the Oxford-Cambridge Lacrosse team is leading his combined team against the strongest college teams in America.

Big League Baseball Results

Thursday's Games

AMERICAN LEAGUE

At Cleveland

Chicago	6
Cleveland	6

(Game called to catch train)

At Washington

Philadelphia	9
Washington	3

NATIONAL LEAGUE

At Boston

Brooklyn	12
Boston	5

At Philadelphia

New York	10
Philadelphia	5

At Cincinnati

Cincinnati	8
St. Louis	5

At Chicago

Chicago	6
Pittsburg	4

M. Lo Takes Tennis Semifinal At H'kong

Hongkong, April 23.—On the stand court yesterday afternoon, M. W. Lo defeated O. Rumjahn in the semi-final of the open H. K. C. C. Championship singles, three sets to two. Five sets were played before Lo secured the victory. The first set ran into eight games, and went to Lo for 6-2. Rumjahn got in some good shots in the second set and took it for 6-1. Lo asserted himself in the third set, and playing with deadly accuracy, gave Rumjahn no chance. He took the set for 6-0. Rumjahn put up a great struggle in the fourth set and after running into 10 games, took it for 6-4. He was obviously tired in the fifth, however, and could do nothing against his opponent who made it a love set and took the match for 6-2, 1-6, 6-0, 4-6, 6-0.

ROWING CLUB IN ANNUAL REPORT REVIEW BIG YEAR

In the annual report of the Shanghai Rowing Club, given out yesterday in advance of the regular annual general meeting which will be held at the Club house on Thursday, a very favorable condition of the club's affairs, and an increasing interest in rowing and swimming was shown, with a still larger support from the Shanghai public in prospect.

The spring regatta last year, the report says was one of the most successful regattas on record and was thoroughly enjoyed by a large number of spectators. The autumn regatta, in spite of the high water at Henli which necessitated at the last moment the placing of hundreds of tons of ashes on the lawn for the comfort of spectators was another occasion for the gathering of local sportsmen and women to high class river sports.

The two meets, the report continues showed conclusively that a steady and healthy recovery had been made in rowing after the strain to which it had been subjected during the years of the Great War. A record number of spectators attended and an unusually large number of house boats moored along both sides of the Hsin Yang Kong to watch the racing.

After reviewing the results of last year's regattas both spring and autumn, the report goes into swimming, with an accurate review of last year's galas and interport meetings. The Club's smoker, their success at basketball in the foreign league when the Strokeside finished first after three months of playing was recalled. Accounts and memberships tables conclude the booklet.

Chinese Will Run For Pennsy

Philadelphia—China will be represented in the Pennsylvania relay carnival and also in the intercollegiates by S. T. Chow, who has developed into a broad jumper of considerable ability, well able also to compete in the hurdles and high jump. He has been promoted to the Pennsylvania varsity track team, and Coach Robertson said that he was the first Chinese to merit it, although the Philadelphia institution has a good boxer and soccer player from China.

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CRICKET MEN TO PRACTICE THIS AFTERNOON

Candidates for the cricket team which will play against Hongkong next month will get another tryout today, the game starting at 2 o'clock. The teams will be known as the Probables and Possibles.

They will line up as follows:

Probables.—H. W. Allison, Capt. Barrett, C. Brooke, W. C. G. Clifford, E. W. Day, J. A. Foster, A. W. Hayward, D. W. Leach, H. B. Ollerdesson, J. A. Quayle and F. L. Wainwright.

Possibles.—G. M. Billings, E. G. Barnes, C. Begg, G. F. H. Bichard, W. R. Cockburn, R. B. Gotch, W. N. Hansell, W. Mansel-Smith, H. H. Morris, J. H. Raikes, T. W. R. Wilson, W. J. Hawkings.

Reserves.—A. Bhoora, C. R. W. Thompson, W. G. R. Murphy.

Umpires:—Messrs. Haynes and Cameron.

130 SCHOOLBOYS TO START IN CROSS COUNTRY CLASSIC AT 4 O'CLOCK THIS AFTERNOON

Nanyang, Shanghai And Jewish Recs Bring Total Up To High Number

With three new organisations entered in the big school boys race of the Shanghai Harriers Club this afternoon, and the total of entries has been brought up to approximately 130 men, the final cross country classic of the season promises to be one of the best ever yet staged in east China.

Nanyang's entries came in yesterday with ten good men; the Jewish Recreation Club promises five to seven entrants, and the Shanghai Baptist College filed a sizeable entry list last evening.

Entries have been belated because of the postmen's strike.

The race will start at the Kiangwan Road gate at 4 o'clock this afternoon and the big pack will trail three miles across country.

The following men entered from Nanyang: Adam C. Chiu, W. T. Chen, K. C. Yang, Y. T. Chow, L. C. Wen, M. L. Lu, D. B. Li, M. K. Hwang, L. S. Tang, C. W. Hwang.

Mlle. Lenglen Out Again For Title

Monte Carlo, April 27.—Miss Suzanne Lenglen, the French tennis champion, announced today that she would once more attempt to win the championship of the world. She will play in the World's Grass Court Championship at Wimbledon in June.

"I hope to meet Mrs. Mallory, Miss Ryan, Mrs. Beamish, Miss McKane, Miss Goss and Mrs. Satterthwait," Miss Lenglen declared, "and hope to win."

In an informal game yesterday Miss Lenglen defeated Miss Goss in two straight love sets.

TENNIS ASS'N TO MEET

The annual general meeting of the Shanghai Lawn Tennis Association will be at 5.15 p.m. on Thursday, May 4, at the school-room, Cathedral Compound.

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LLOYD GEORGE SEES DANGER IN NEW ALIGNMENT

Premier Points To Numerical Superiority Of Slavs And Teutons

(Reuter's Service)

Genoa, April 27.—An alarmist picture of Europe was drawn by Mr. Lloyd George when speaking at a dinner of British and American press representatives.

The Prime Minister pointed out that Russia and Germany, combined, contained over two thirds of the people of Europe. The Russo-German Treaty, he said, was the first warning that their voice would be heard. The adduced proof of Europe's danger was that there was no accepted frontier from the Baltic to the Black Sea.

He earnestly wished that America had been at the Genoa Conference because her very aloofness would give her the right to speak with peculiar authority.

The Prime Minister said that he was confident that in his own life Europe would again welter in blood unless the objects of the conference were attained. He solemnly warned his hearers of the danger of allowing victory to develop into oppression and vengeance.

Paris, April 27.—A telegram from Genoa states that the Russian delegation entertained the German delegation to dinner this evening. The tenor of the speeches delivered has not transpired. Numerous police were present.

London, April 27.—A despatch from Berlin states that Russia will resume diplomatic relations immediately as a result of the treaty of Rapallo.

Paris, April 27.—The Cabinet has telegraphed to M. Barthou agreeing with the attitude of the French delegation, and instructing him to stand by the Cannes resolutions and closely to follow M. Poincare's policy towards the Soviets.

The Cabinet has unfavorably received the suggestion for a meeting of the Supreme Council at Genoa and has decided that a discussion of the question of reparations is unnecessary, unless Germany defaults on May 31.

Nevertheless, M. Poincare has consented to a meeting of the Council if the discussions are limited to the Russo-German Treaty, when he would welcome the inclusion of the Little Entente and Poland.

Tsiang Tseng Changes Mind

(Continued from Page 1)

clared that the report that the transport Tung Cai had been sunk was incorrect, and said there was no intention of moving the Admiralty Office from Chinese territory to Bubbling Well Road. The text of the message, sent to the various Tuchuns, Civil Governors, Provincial Assemblies, Educational Associations and Chambers of Commerce, as well as to the newspapers, reads:

"The stormy situation in the vicinity of Peking has become more serious. Shanghai is a place where foreigners and Chinese are residing and is the most important commercial port in the South-East. The slightest disturbance will have evil consequences. The navy and army stationed at Shanghai and Woosung share equally the duty of protecting the people and maintaining peace, and we should deem it our duty to protect the merchants and the people. We shall not be moved by any of the contending parties. Our hope is that the people will live happily and enjoy peace, and we shall do our best to protect the South-east from molestation.

"(signed) Tsiang Tseng
Ho Feng-lin."

The second class cruiser Hai Chou and the gunboat Li Tung left Shanghai waters late Thursday afternoon and it is reported that the Li Tung passed the Woosung forts without being fired on. The Hai Chou is said to be lying within range of the forts awaiting the remainder of the First Squadron stationed here, which are supposed to sail sometime today for Chingwangtao and Taku.

The Hai Chou was built in Germany in 1898 and carries a crew of 300 men. It has three 15 cm. guns, eight 10.5 cm. guns, two six-pounders, four one-pounders and three Maxims. All use German ammunition and it is understood that it would be impossible to replace it should they attempt a bombardment of the Woosung Forts. The forts also are reported to have only a limited amount of ammunition, but the guns have not been fired, except for one or two salutes, since 1913.

Notwithstanding the announced reversal of program by the naval official there was evidence of movement aboard the vessels still up the river. The remaining gunboat and cruiser, the latter the Hai Yung, sister ship of the Hai Chou, were busy coaling as though for cruise and yesterday afternoon the Hai Yung steamed down river from the Arsenal to Yangtszepoo, mooring at one of the buoys in the river.

Germans To Rebuild Petrograd, Report

(Reuter's Service)

Helsingfors, April 27.—A big German company has signed a preliminary agreement for the reconstruction of Petrograd, including the restoration of buildings, railways, water, sewage and other services.

The Germans in exchange will be permitted to conduct an earthenware and brick industry.

OFFER TO DEMPSEY

(U. S. Navy Radio through Reuter)

Paris, April 26.—A group of English promoters have made Jack Dempsey an attractive offer to meet Carpentier in London next summer if he defeats Lewis.

Jack Kearns, Dempsey's manager, said today that the offer involves an enormous purse and that Dempsey will probably accept.

Major A. Bassett Tendered Banquet By Local Chinese

Major Arthur Bassett of the British American Tobacco Ltd., who recently returned from a furlough in America, was the guest of honor Thursday evening at a banquet given by a representative gathering of well-known Chinese at the Great Eastern Hotel. Mr. Tan, the chairman, paid a tribute to the guest as one who is known throughout the country as a devoted friend of China and the Chinese. Major Bassett spent a good deal of time at Washington during the Conference and in his quiet and unobtrusive way, largely assisted in making clear the position and aspirations of progressive Chinese.

Replying to the toast in his honor, Major Bassett explained that while China may not have obtained as much as she was entitled to have written down into the Conference Treaties, the Conference had secured for China and Chinese questions an enormous amount of publicity in the American press, and the intensive training which the three hundred and more American journalists and correspondents at Washington—representing every section of the American press—had received, would be reflected whenever Chinese questions arise for discussion in the future. The second vital gain to China as a result of the Conference was that never again would a foreign power dare to repeat the rape of Shanghai or encroach upon China's rights and territory; the Board of Reference, in which all the leading Powers would participate, would serve as a constant check against further inroads on Chinese sovereignty, Major Bassett said.

Commercial Party To Be Guests Today Of Hangchow Party

A party of nearly fifty left in special coaches by the night train last night on the American Chamber of Commerce trip to Hangchow.

The delegation, as guests of the Hangchow chamber, will go on a shopping trip this morning, visiting the famous Hangchow fan shop and Chinese medicine shop and will make calls upon the Commissioner of Foreign Affairs, Chinese Chamber of Commerce officials and the Civil and Military Governors. They will be guests at a luncheon this noon to be given by the Chinese Chamber of Commerce at the Provincial Educational Association and afterward will be taken on a trip of inspection to the industrial college, silk factories and other industrial points of interest.

Tonight the visitors will attend a dinner to be given by General Lu Yung-hsiang, Tuchun of Chekiang, and Civil Governor Shen King-chien at the Military Governor's headquarters. Tomorrow will be spent in visiting points of interest about Hangchow and the party will return in the evening.

Colonel Clyde Ford, New U. S. Postmaster, Takes Over Job

Col. Clyde S. Ford, who was appointed United States Postal Agent at Shanghai some months ago, is asuming the duties of his office today. Colonel Ford arrived in Shanghai on the steamer Korea Maru of the T. K. K. which arrived from San Francisco yesterday morning. Colonel Ford succeeds Mr. E. H. Everett who now is engaged in newspaper work in Mexico representing a San Antonio, Texas, newspaper.

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Appalling Famine Pictures Are Received From Hunan

Photographs Received By Spanish Augustinian Mission Show Horrors Of Yuanchow

Ordinary reports that come from famine areas in China and that grow commonplace with repetition are made to appear inconsequential in comparison with a series of photographs that have just been received from Hunan by the Spanish Augustinian Mission. Nude skeleton figures in groups left in fields and roadways where they dropped and died from hunger are portrayed in awful reality with skin tautened over the wasted frames. Publication of the scenes and figures depicted, men, women and children, scarcely is possible by reason of their stark horror.

No estimate has been made of how many must die for want of food in Hunan this Spring but six millions of the twenty-seven millions in the province are in the grip of the famine which has followed on two years of drouth in which no crops have been harvested.

The pictures sent to the Spanish Mission here come from the center of the famine area in West Hunan and were taken early this month. All of them are from the city of Yuanchow which has a population of about 40,000. Some outline of conditions there is given in a letter addressed to the Rev. Father Cerezal that accompanied the pictures. This letter is as follows.

"West Hunan, Yuanchow, April 16, 1922.

"Dear Fr. Cerezal, 10 Yangtszepoo Road.

"I always expected you would be able to send me something for these poor suffering people; thank God you have been able to raise those funds, which will certainly relieve quite a lot of these hunger stricken families.

"You ask me to send you more photographs and details, and I am now sending you a few which as you will see are much more horrible than those I sent you before. All of them were taken during the last days of March and beginning of April. One of the two photographs in which the corpses of eleven of the starved to death appear, was taken on the 11th of this month, that is to say, the day previous to ordering these horrible pictures.

"We are only taking photos of corpses in groups of at least four each, which as you will see, I am sorry to say are very frequent, and they are only of the people who die every day inside the city, for who would be able to count those who die on the fields? They are only of groups of beggars who die on the streets and pagodas, for there are a great number of them who die in their homes where they have been days and days without lighting their fires as they have nothing to cook with. They have sold their utensils so as to get something to eat; and when everything is sold, nothing but a terrible lingering death awaits them.

"The other day, a woman came to me selling two big water jars, so as to be able with the money to buy something for her starving brother. I gave her a dollar and told her to keep the jars. When she showed the money to her brother he was pleased and said: Now give me a bowl of rice and then I shall die contented. And so it happened that he was given the bowl of rice and next day he died. He was in such an emaciated state that no nourishment could save him. And there are so many cases like this one that it is impossible to count them. This afternoon I called on a well known family whom I found eating.

"Each one of them had a bowl of boiled grass with a few grains of rice, but so few that the rice in the bowls of the whole family would not full a table spoon. And this is the kind of nourishment that those who eat get in this city. I was so sorry for them that I took two of his boys to my school and promised to feed them as well as I could. As up to the present, my funds are so limited, limited must necessarily be our charity. So far I have only been able to take care of few of the beggar boys who approach our door.

"Some time ago, a woman came to see me with two children, one in her arms and another led by the hand. She told me that her husband and four sons had died of hunger. I gave her some money and two days later she came to me again and she had already lost another child. As she did not return I am sure she must have also lost the other remaining child.

"It breaks one's heart to see all this people dying with no possible help, as the funds we have received are only sufficient to help a very limited number of them. I must ask you to do your very best to try to raise all you can, as every dollar helps to bring some nourishment.

"Father Pons tells me from Hankow that there arrive constantly small steamers from Changteh loaded with Hunanese girls, who here are sold publicy for one or two dollars each. A few days ago a Christian woman brought me her nine years old daughter and ask me to keep her in our school, but at the time I could not accept her as I was short of funds and later on when I received a donation I sent for her, but it was late, she had already sold her daughter for Mex. $1.

"If we could only raise sufficient funds so as to be able to take care of these young girls, what a beautiful work of charity we could do by feeding them until better times come and them return them to their homes.

"I will not worry you any longer, but I repeat, it is necessary that we all do our best to save as many as we can of this starving people, and you can rest assured that this kind of charity is the best that any human being could do, saving his own kind from death.

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"The Government has of late years issued a number of Treasury Certificates and bonds which are largely secured on the salt revenue surplus. The banking community feels grateful to you for your valuable service rendered during your tenure of office in upholding the credit of the issues. It is with great regret and anxiety that we learn of your resignation. You are earnestly requested to hand over to your successor the complete record of the various issues and inform him of the detailed facts concerning them so as to portect effectively the interest of the parties concerned and consummate what were initiated by you."

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Homes Entered In Dunmanway; Fighting Continues

(Reuter's Service)

London, April 28.—Three prominent citizens of Dunmanway, County Cork, respectively a solicitor, a chemist and an ex-draper, were shot dead in their own houses by a party of armed men who visited the town late last night. Other residents, including a school-master, were wounded.

London, April 28.—The trouble at Mullingar was due to the arrest of six unarmed Free State soldiers by Irregulars, resulting in Free State troops surrounding the rebel barracks, after which a fight occurred, ending in three persons being killed and many seriously injured on both sides. Subsequently, the Irregulars, overawed by threat of a greater force, left Mullingar.

London, April 27.—Fighting between Free State and Republican troops broke out yesterday at Mullingar and continued today. Both sides used rifles and machine guns. Many casualties are reported.

(China Press Service)

London, April 27.—A despatch from Belfast states that there has been battle between the provisional government and the insurgent republicans at Mullingar which resulted in the government forces gaining control of the town. The fight lasted two hours. Rifles and machine-guns were used and one was killed.

(Reuter's Service)

London, April 27.—The latest development in the complex situation in Ireland is the threatened rupture of working relations between the Northern and Southern Governments. The latter has refused to co-operate with Ulster on the Railway Commission which is about to meet to settle labor troubles, declaring the situation in Belfast and Sir James Craig's refusal to release certain prisoners is tantamount to a breach of the agreement signed in London a month ago. The Free State Commission will therefore act alone.

Sir James Craig in reply contends that he has striven to fulfil the agreement with Mr. Michael Collins and points out the continuation of raids across the Ulster border and the boycott of Ulster goods.

Mr. Arthur Griffith, addressing the re-assembled Dail Eireann said that whatever measures were necessary would be taken to secure that the electorate in Ireland might freely vote on the Treaty.

Mr. Mulcahy, the Minister of Defence, denounced the mutineers and said that 331 post offices had been raided and that many prominent firms were temporarily closing their offices.

A remarkable manifesto has been issued by the Catholic Bishops assembled at Maynooth. It vigorously denounces the mutineers and says that they are making shameful war on their own country and are parricides instead of patriots. The whole system of military despotism, it says, is detestable and unbearable to the people who regard it with horror and disgust.

Marconi Announces World Combine

(Reuter's Service)

London, April 28.—Marconi's announce, that as the result of an agreement between themselves the Radio Corporation of America, the Compagnie Generale de Telegraphie Sans Fil, and the Gesellschaft fuer Drathlose Telegraphie, a number of new international wireless services will shortly be opened.

New Seaplane For Portuguese Fliers

(Reuter's Service)

Lisbon, April 27.—A Brazilian-Lloyd Steamship Company barge has sailed for St. Paul's Rocks Island where it is expected to arrive on May 8. It is carrying a new seaplane in which the Portuguese airmen will continue their flight.

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A verdict of accidental death was returned yesterday at the conclusion of the inquest into the circumstances surrounding the demise of Mr. Alexander Gillespie McKinnon, chief officer of the Chusan, whose body was found in the Whangpoo.

At the concluding hearing before Coroner G. W. King, the second officer of the ship testified that the deceased went ashore the night of April 9, stating that he was going to see a friend. He had no troubles, it was stated, and was in normal health. It was the opinion of the second officer, Mr. Harry Mawson, that Mr. McKinnon must have slipped from the pontoon in the dark.

Wedding

WAUNG—CHU

The wedding of Mr. I. P. Waung of the Shun Pao Chinese Daily and Miss Chu Fu-chiu toox place yesterday at the Yih Ping Shang Hotel. A large number of Chinese and foreign journalists attended. Mr. C. C. Nieh, chairman of the Chinese Chamber of Commerce, officiated. Mr. J. C. Tso, Chinese manager of the Asia Development Co. was best man.

British Unions Advocate Boycott Against Japanese

(Reuter's Service)

London, April 28.—The President of the International Transport Workers Federation and five other British Trades-Unionists have appealed to the Labor and Socialist movements throughout the world to institute an international boycott of Japan "in view of the crimes committed by the Japanese troops in Siberia and the Japanese Government's policy of still maintaining troops in Siberia despite the pledge given at Washington."

The appeal is published through the National "Hands-Off Russia" Committee.

FLOODS IN U. S.

(Reuter's Service)

New York, April 27.—The flood waters of the Mississippi are causing widespread havoc. The town of Ferriday has been inundated, but the residents, who had been forewarned, escaped. Six other towns are directly menaced. The flood conditions in Texas have not improved.

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Manila Observes Flagellation Day

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Manila, April 5.—The annual flagellation of penitents on Good Friday was held in Manila this year, despite objections of Protestant Missionaries. A movement is afoot to secure the co-operation of Governor General Wood in abolishing it.

Fifteen Filipino penitents underwent flagellation this year. The ceremony, which is in imitation of Christ's journey to Calvary, was held in the Chinese cemetery. The penitents were stripped to the waist and were crowned with thorns.

Their friends cut their backs with sharp knives, after which the penitents walked step by step to various points in the cemetery, representing the points of the cross.

At each step they beat themselves with bamboo rods, and at each resting place they fell prone on their faces, while their acquaintances threw dirt in their wounds, jumped on them, kicked them and scourged them with brambles.

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48078 A 29

TO LET, in a new private boarding house, very nice large rooms comfortably furnished, each with bathroom attached, in Western district. Best cooking. Apply A. 101 Avenue Road.
48072 M 11

TO LET, nice large verandah furnished rooms with board and bathrooms. 29, Range Road. Telephone North 1966. Terms moderate.
48074 M 4

ROOM for rent. Room with board in private American family. gentleman. Near Country Club. Reference required. Address Box No. 1297, THE CHINA PRESS.
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48075 A 30

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48055 A 29

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48115 M 2

TWO I. S. S. bonds for sale, $328 and $432 paid up respectively. Offers to Box 1296, THE CHINA PRESS.
48095 A 30

FOR SALE. Perambulator, large, well sprung, in good condition. Apply to Box, 1293, THE CHINA PRESS.
48083 A 30

FOR SALE four new safes, different sizes. Price very moderate. Apply to Box 1286, THE CHINA PRESS.
48071 A 30

FOR SALE: Genuine English White Canvas Shoes and Boots; gents, ladies and children's; low prices. Bubbling Well Book Store, 1845, Bubbling Well Road.
48079 A 29

FOR SALE, Stingl Original pianos, just arrived from Europe, prices very reasonable. Apply Marco, Finkelstein & Co., 35 Canton Road.
48017 A.30

FOR SALE, one New and unused Miller Wrought Steel Cooking Range with steel Warming Closet and Hot Water Coil. Over size 16" x 18". Top size 27" x 34" Apply to Box 1224, THE CHINA PRESS.
47946 A 29

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47976 A 30

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FOR HIRE: Comfortable house boats, well found in every respect. For particulars please apply by letter to 10, Chusan Road.
45674 M 6

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48060 A 30

TO LET Central district. Suite of two rooms, with private bathroom attached, South-Western exposure, newly decorated. Full table board, or served privately, as required. Apply Mrs. Benn, 9 Hankow Road, 4th floor. (Phone Central 2321).
48044 A 30

FOR RENT. Two large rooms with board, large baths, modern plumbing, new house, tennis court, telephone and garage, suitable for four bachelors. Telephone West 3109.
48045 M 3

$130 per month. To let a well furnished room with private bathroom and full board in Western district with private family. Reply to Box 1272, THE CHINA PRESS.
48039 A 29

TO LET. 19-A North Szechuen Road, large well furnished front room, verandah, bath room attached, also one small room, 2nd floor, with or without board. Telephone North 1848.
47970 A 29

TO LET, 4 large rooms with verandah, bathroom, kitchen and servants' quarters, in Hongkew district, near Range Road. For particulars apply to Box 1249, THE CHINA PRESS.
47987 A 30

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47979 A 30

TO LET, small furnished room with board, 65 Route Vallon, near French Park. Apply 10 to 7 p.m.
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SHANGHAI, SATURDAY, APRIL 29, 1922

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Business and Official Notices

EDITAL

ALFREDO CASANOVA CONSUL GERAL DE PORTUGAL EN SHANGHAI.

Faco saber que Francisco Xavier Basto da Silva solteiro de trinta dois anos de edade, natural de Shanghai empregado de comercio domiciliado em No. 53 Range Road filho legitimo de Antonio Manuel Araujo e Silva e de Julia Maria Basto da Silva ja falecidos

Xenia Mitufkoff solteira de trinta oito anos de edade, natural de Irkutsk, Siberia domestica domiciliada em No. 53 Range Road filha legitima de Job Kondratieff Mitufkoff e de Melania Nikonova ja falecidos.

Pretendem contrahir perante este Consulado Geral o seu casamento pela forma estabelecida na lei civil e por isso veem prestar a presente declaracao para se effectuar o respectivo registo procedendo as formalidades legaes.

Pelo que convido todas as pessoas que souberem de algum dos impedimentos mencionados nos artigos 4° a 10° do Decreto No. 1 de 25 Dezembro de 1910, a virem declaral-o no praso de 15 dias a contar da data deste edital devendo esta declaracao ser feita por escripto e autenticada ou verbalmente perante mim, especificando o impedimento de que se tratar na inteligencia de que decorrido o dito praso sem haver declaracao ou impedimento legal, se procedera a celebracao do casamento.

Consulado Geral de Portugal em Shanghai, 28 de Abril de 1922.

O Consul Geral,
ALFREDO CASANOVA.

48130

Municipal Notification
No. 2983.

PRIVATE NURSING SERVICE.

Notice is hereby given that the following revised scale of fees will be enforced from May 1, next:

	per diem
Ordinary Medical or Surgical cases	Tls. 8
Maternity cases	„ 8
Infectious cases	„ 8
Mental or alcoholic cases	„ 6
Visiting cases not exceeding one hour	not made to infectious cases Tls 2
Visiting cases half-day	not made to infectious cases „ 4

Maternity Cases. Half-fees are payable from date of reservation of the services of a nurse until required.

Such reservation period is limited to 14 days, after which full fees will be charged. All communications regarding nursing services must be made in writing to the Sister-in-Charge, Private Nursing Service, 34-5 Boone Road, and not by telephone.

When called upon to nurse more than one case in a house an extra half fee is payable for each additional patient.

For nursing cases outside Shanghai one tael in excess of above rates is payable from the time of leaving Shanghai until return, together with first-class fare and necessary incidental expenses.

After nursing infectious cases seven days fees at full rate will be payable for quarantine.

Board, lodging and washing must be provided for the nurse.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
Secretary and Commissioner General.

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 27, 1922.

48083

Municipal Notification
No. 2985.

SILVER LOAN 1922.

Notice is hereby given that the subscription list for debentures in the issue of this loan advertised in terms of Municipal Notification No. 2973, dated April 27, has been closed on full subscription.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
Secretary and Commissioner General.

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 28, 1922.

48140

Chinese Government Railways

Shanghai-Nanking Line

Principal Train Alterations on and from 1st May, 1922.

1. The present 7.45 a.m. Up Fast Train will leave Shanghai North at 7.00 a.m.
2. The Up Through Express Train will leave Shanghai North at 9.30 a.m. the same time as at present.
3. The 13.05 Up Fast Train will leave Shanghai North at 12.30 p.m.
4. The Up Night Express Train will leave Shanghai North at 23.30 hours, the same time as at present.
5. The 7.45 a.m. Down Fast Train will leave Nanking at 7.40 a.m.
6. The 11.45 a.m. Down Fast Train will leave Nanking at 11.05 a.m.
7. The Down Through Express Train will leave Nanking Ferry at 16.00 hours, as at present.
8. The Down Night Express Train will leave Nanking at at 23.00 hours, as at present.

Other alterations and additions will be shown in the published Time Tables of the Railway.

By Order,
TRAFFIC MANAGER.

18139

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Between the Siberia Maru and Customs House. A brown leather bag and a bundle of coats and sunshades. Reward. Please reply Miss Whitemore, c/o Thos. Cook & Son. 48109

Ewo Cotton Spinning and Weaving Co., Ltd.

(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a General Meeting of the above-named Company will be held at 3A Peking Road, Shanghai, on Tuesday, the 30th day of May, 1922, at 11.00 a.m. for the purpose of having the Account of the Liquidators, showing the manner in which the Winding-up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, laid before such meeting, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidators.

Shanghai, 18th April, 1922.

F. N. MATTHEWS,
ERIC. M. ROSS,
Liquidators.

48105

Kung Yik Cotton Spinning and Weaving Co, Ltd.

(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a General Meeting of the above-named Company will be held at 3A Peking Road, Shanghai, on Tuesday, the 30th day of May, 1922, at 11.15 a.m. for the purpose of having the Account of the Liquidators, showing the manner in which the Winding-up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, laid before such meeting, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidators.

Shanghai, 18th April, 1922.

F. N. MATTHEWS,
ERIC. M. ROSS,
Liquidators.

48106

Yangtszepoo Cotton Mill, Ltd.

(In Voluntary Liquidation)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a General Meeting of the above-named Company will be held at 3A Peking Road, Shanghai, on Tuesday, the 30th day of May, 1922, at 11.30 a.m. for the purpose of having the Account of the Liquidators, showing the manner in which the Winding-up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, laid before such meeting, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidators.

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NOTICE

Shanghai Licensed Pilots' Association

On each day of the Races i.e., Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, the 1st, 2nd and 3rd of May, this office will be opened at 9 a.m. and closed at noon.

W. MAHON,
Manager.

48050

NOTICE

PEKING HANKOW RAILWAY

The Public is hereby notified that Mr. T. H. Tang has been appointed Managing Director of this Railway.

By Order,

Peking, 18 April, 1922.

48080

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Business and Official Notices

Chinese Post Office

Notification No. 536.

Notice is hereby given that on each day of the Races, i.e., Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, the 1st, 2nd and 3rd May, the Parcel Office will be closed from noon.

F. L. SMITH,
Deputy Postal Commissioner-in-charge temporarily.

Chinese Post Office,
Shanghai, 27th April, 1922.

48112

Whangpoo Conservancy Board.

Notification No. 116.

POSITION AS SUCTION DREDGER ENGINEER VACANT:

The position of Suction-Dredger Engineer, in charge of the Board's suction-dredger "Hai Ching," is vacant. Applicants must have mechanical or marine engineer's certificate, be capable of taking charge of the entire vessel and its crew and prepared to take up the duties about June 15th. Initial salary Taels 275.00 per month and a mess allowance. General conditions as per Board's Service Rules.

Written application stating experience and with copies of testimonials should be addressed to the Engineer-in-Chief, Whangpoo Conservancy Board and handed in personally at the Board's Office before noon on May 13th.

SHANGHAI, April 28th, 1922.
(sgd.) H. von HEIDENSTAM,
Engineer-in-Chief.

48123

CERCLE SPORTIF FRANCAIS

Annual General Meeting

The Annual General Meeting of the Members of the Cercle Sportif Francais will be held in the Club House on Saturday, 29th April, 1922, at 4.30 p.m.

BUSINESS

Passing of the accounts.

Additional Articles to the Rules New Building, Verdun Garden. Election of the various Committees.

Members are earnestly requested to attend.

47725

NOTICE

From 1st May we shall adopt, during the Summer months the following hours of business:

Mondays to Fridays:—8 a.m. to 12 noon and 2 p.m. to 4 p.m.
Saturdays:—8 a.m. to 12 noon.

BECK & SWANN,
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Shanghai Marine Underwriters' Association,
Shanghai General Chamber of Commerce,
Shanghai-Malay Rubber Estates, Limited,
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47793

Shanghai Race Club

SPRING RACE MEETING, 1922.

MONDAY, 1st MAY,
TUESDAY, 2nd MAY,
WEDNESDAY, 3rd MAY.

First Saddling Bell each day will be rung promptly at 11.30 a.m.
and
Saturday, 6th May, First Saddling Bell will be rung promptly at 1.15 p.m.

Grand Stand Tickets giving admission to the Members' Enclosure, Grand Stand and Members' Pari-Mutuels, may be obtained on application to the undersigned.

PRICES:

For the 4 days,
Gentlemen .... $15 each.
Ladies ..... $10 each

For the single day,
Gentlemen ..... $5 each
Ladies ..... $3 each

Badges giving admission to the Unreserved part of the enclosure may be obtained from Messrs. Kelly & Walsh, Ltd., or at the Public Entrance Gate, 14 Mohawk Road.

PRICES:

For the 4 days ..... $6 each
For the single day .. $2 each.

TIFFINS, TEAS & REFRESHMENTS WILL BE SERVED AT THE COURSE.

For Members and Grand Stand ticket holders—in the Grand Stand.

For the Public—in the Public Refreshment room.

The tiffin interval on each of the first three days will be after the third race.

The first saddling bell after tiffin will be rung promptly at 2 p.m.

By Order of the Stewards,
A. W. OLSEN,
Secretary.
Shanghai Race Club.

47923

Sandakan Light and Power Company, (1922) Limited

NOTICE is hereby given that the above-named Company which it is intended to incorporate forthwith is issuing a prospectus dated the 18th day of April 1922, a copy of which has been filed with the Registrar of Companies, inviting subscriptions at par for 40,000 Shares of $10 each payable as to $1 per Share on application, $2 per Share on allotment, $2 per Share on the 20th June 1922 and $5 per Share on subsequent demand.

The subscription list is now open and will be closed on the 29th April 1922.

Copies of the prospectus can be inspected and forms of application can be obtained at the Office of the Company's General Managers, Messrs. Shewan Tomes & Co., St. George's Building, Chater Road, Victoria, Hongkong.

This Notice is not to be regarded as an invitation to the public to subscribe for Shares, and application will only be received on the footing of the full prospectus and in the form issued therewith.

Dated 20th April 1922.

SHEWAN TOMES & CO.,
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St. George's Building,
Hongkong.

Copy of the prospectus can be inspected and forms of application can be obtained at 8 Yuen Ming Yuen Road, Shanghai.

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Shanghai, 24th April 1922.

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Shanghai Foreign Exchange Bankers' Association

The Foreign Exchange Banks which are members of the above Association will open at 9 a.m. and close at 11 a.m. on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, the 1st, 2nd and 3rd May on account of the Spring Race Meeting.

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E. ERENS, Manager.

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Hon. Mr. A. G. STEPHEN.

Branches and Agencies:

Amoy	Harbin	New York
Bangok	Iloilo	Penang
Batavia	Ipoh	Rangoon
Bombay	Johore	Saigon
Calcutta	Kobe	S. Francisco
Canton	Kuala	Shanghai
Chefoo	Lumpur	Singapore
Colombo	London	Sourabays
Dairen	Lyons	S. Patani
Foochow	Malacca	Tientsin
Haiphong	Manila	Tsingtao
Hamburg	Nagasaki	Vladivostock
Hankow	Peking	Yokohama

London Bankers:
London County Westminster and Parr's Bank Ltd.

Shanghai Branch: 12 The Bund
Sub-Agency: 9 Broadway
Interest allowed on Current Accounts and on Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.
Local Bills Discounted.
Credits granted on approved Securities and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.
Drafts granted on London and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, Africa, China, Japan and America.
G. H. STITT,
Manager.

Russo-Asiatic Bank

	Roubles.
Capital (fully-paid) ..	55,000,000
Reserved Fund	26,900,000
Capital Contributed by the Chinese Government	Kup. Tls. 3,500,000
Reserve Fund	1,750,000

Head Office:
Paris, 9 Rue Boudreau
London Office:
64 Old Broad Street, E. C. 2.

Bankers:
London: Messrs. Glyn, Mills, Currie & Co.
Societe Generale pour favoriser le developpement du Commerce et de l'Industrie en France.
Paris: Societe Generale pour Favoriser le Developpement du Commerce et de l'Industrie en France.
Banque de Paris et des Pays-Bas.
Lyons: Societe Generale pour Favoriser le Developpement du Commerce et de l'Industrie en France.
Milan: Credito Italiano.
Rome: Banco di Roma.
New York: The Irving National Bank.
San Francisco: The Crocker National Bank of San Francisco.

BRANCHES IN ASIA

Bombay	Harbin	Shanghai
Chanchun	Hongkong	Tientsin
Chefoo	Manchouli	Urumtchi
Dairen	Kashgar	Vladivostock
Hailar	Newchwang	Yokohama
Hankow	Peking	Kobe

SHANGHAI BRANCH
Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels and Dollars. Terms on application. Local Bills discounted.
Foreign Exchange on the principal cities of the world bought and sold.
SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES.
L. Jezierski,
Th. de Krzywoszewski,
P. Petithuguenin.
Managers for Branches in Asia.

Bank of Communications

Specially authorised by Presidential Mandates of April 7th, 1914, and October 31, 1915.

Capital: Kuping Taels 10,000,000

HEAD OFFICE: PEKING
Over 80 Branches and Agencies at principal cities and commercial centers in China
Agencies abroad: Singapore Hongkong, Tokio (Japan),

SHANGHAI BRANCH
14 The Bund.
Interest allowed on both Current and Fixed Deposit Accounts. Credit granted to approved securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.
Y. M. CHIEN, Manager,
K. S. WONG, Sub-Manager.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Savings Bank Office:
12 The Bund and 9 Broadway.

Deposits of not less than $1.00 will be received.
Not more than $200 will be received during one month from any single Depositor.
Interest at the rate of 3.1/2% per annum will be allowed upon the monthly minimum balance.
The maximum balance on which interest will be allowed is $5,000.00.
Deposits may be withdrawn on Demand. Accounts will be kept either in Dollars or Taels, Local Currency, at the option of the Depositor.
Depositors will be presented with Pass Books, in which all transactions will be entered. Pass Books must be presented when paying in or withdrawing money.
OFFICE HOURS: 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.
Saturdays, 10 a.m. to noon.

The Bank Of Canton, Limited

Incorporated 1912

Capital authorised $1,200,000.00
Capital paid up 1,057,790.00
Reserved Fund HK. $400,000.00
Undivided profit HK $950,867.78

HEAD OFFICE
No. 6 Des Voeux Road, Hongkong

SHANGHAI OFFICE
No. 2 Ningpo Road,

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES

Canton	Bangkok	S. Francisco
Batavia	Bombay	Colombo
New York	Manila	Samarang
London	Singapore	Calcutta
Honolulu	Rangoon	Yokohama
Sourabaya	Canada, etc	

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.
Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.
WONG WEN-KUANG,
Manager.

The Chinese American Bank of Commerce

Authorized Capital
U. S. $10,000,000
Paid-up Capital U.S. $ 5,000,000

HEAD OFFICE: PEKING

Branches:

HANKOW	SHANGHAI
MANILA	SHIHKIACHWANG
HARBIN	TIENTSIN
PEKING	TSINANFU

Every kind of banking business transacted

SAVINGS DEPARTMENT

The Chinese American Bank of Commerce is prepared to open Savings Accounts in local $, Taels, G$, £, Frs. and Yen on very favorable terms. Prospectus will be mailed on request.

SHANGHAI OFFICE:
11A Nanking Road
Telephone C. 5841, 5842, 5843
Telegraphic address: Sinambank

The National Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1907.

Paid-Up Capital .. $2,500,000.00
Reserve Fund $500,000.00

Head Office: Shanghai.
Peking and Kiangse Roads.
Tels: Manager's Office: Cen. 2658
General Office: Cen. 2613 & 2614
Branches
Hangchow, Hankow, Peking Tientsin, Mukden and Harbin.
FOREIGN CORRESPONDENTS
London, Paris, New York, San Francisco. Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe Osaka, Berlin and Hamburg.
Correspondents at the principal cities throughout China.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars, Gold Dollars, Sterling and Yen according to arrangement.
Interest allowed on Deposits at Call both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.
Domestic and Foreign Drafts purchased and sold.
Credit granted on approved securities.
Savings accounts—4% per annum.
Every description of banking business transacted.
Modern Safe Deposit Boxes For Rent.
SHEN CHU HSU, Manager.
SHU CHIN MIN, Sub-Manager,
Y. S. TUNG, Sub-Manager,
K. Z. TSOE, P. P. Manager.

International Banking Corporation

Capital .....U. S. $10,000,000
Surplus and Undivided Profits ..... U. S. $5,195,000

Owned by the National City Bank of New York

Head Office:
60 WALL STREET, NEW YORK
London Office: 36 Bishopsgate, E. C.
Lyons Office: 27 Place Tolozan.

San Francisco Office:
232 MONTGOMERY STREET.

BRANCHES:

CHINA	PHILIPPINES
Shanghai	Manila
Peking	Cebu
Tientsin	
Hankow	SPAIN
Harbin	Barcelona
Hongkong	Madrid
Canton	
	STRAITS
INDIA	Singapore
Bombay	
Calcutta	DOMINICA
Rangoon	Santo Domingo
	Sanchez
JAPAN	San Francisco
Yokohama	San Pedro
Kobe	Santiago
	Puerto Plata
JAVA	Barahona
Batavia	La Vega
Soerabaya	
	PANAMA
	Panama
	Colon

We are also able to offer our Customers the services of the Branches of the National City Bank of New York in the principal countries of South America, Central America and in the West Indies.
Commercial and Travellers' Letters of Credit, Bills of Exchange and Cable Transfers bought and sold. Current Accounts opened and Fixed Deposits in local and foreign currencies taken at rates that may be ascertained on application to the Bank.
H. C. GULLAND, Manager.
1A Kiukiang Road, Shanghai.

The Bank of China

(Specially authorised by Presidential Mandate of 15th April, 1915)

Authorised Capital $60,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital $12,279,500.00
Reserve Fund $3,534,600.00
Special Reserve Fund $3,534,600.00

HEAD OFFICE: PEKING.
Branches and Agencies:

Peking	Taiyuan	Shanghai
Tientsin	Kaifeng	Hankow
Chanchun	Wuhu	Ichang
Antung	Anking	Changsha
Dalny	Hangchow	Nanchang
Moukden	Ningpo	Kiukiang
Newchwang	Nanking	Foochow
Harbin	Chinkiang	Amoy
Kirin	Hsuchow	Canton
Tsinan	Soochow	Hongkong
Chefoo	Wusieh	Swatow
Tsingtao	Yangchow	Chungking

Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, Berlin, New York, San Francisco, Tokio, Osaka and Yokohama.
SHANGHAI BRANCH,
3 HANKOW ROAD.
Loans granted on approved Securities. Local Bills discounted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels or Dollars according to arrangement.
SUNG MAN-CHANG.
Manager.

Kincheng Banking Corporation

金城銀行

Sanctioned by Ministry of Finance and registered in Ministry of Agriculture and Commerce in accordance with Banking and Company Laws.
Authorised Capital $5,000,000
Paid-up Capital $4,500,000
Surplus .....$ 500,000
Head Office: Tientsin
Branches and Sub-Branches: Peking, Tientsin, Shanghai, Hankow, Nanking and Peng-pu.
Correspondents in all important places of the world.
President: Chow Tso Ming.
Manager, Shanghai Branch: S. Y. Tien.
Sub-Manager, Shanghai Branch: C. C. Woo.
Every description of Banking Business transacted.
Savings Accounts kept in Tientsin and Shanghai Offices.
Cable Address, "Kincheng" Shanghai
Tel. Nos.
General Office: C. 3590
Manager's Office: 1259
Foreign Dept. C. 1259.

Nederlandsche Handel Maatschappy

(NETHERLANDS TRADING SOCIETY)
Established 1824.

Paid-up Capital: Guilders 20,000,000 (about £4,666,666)
Reserve Funds: Guilders 18,979,250 (about £1,581,604)
Special Reserve: Guilders 22,660,000 (about £1,888,333)

Head Office: AMSTERDAM.
Head Agency: BATAVIA
Agencies in Holland:
THE HAGUE and ROTTERDAM

Branches

Bandjermasin	Pekalongan
Bandoeng	Palembang
Bombay	Penang
Calcutja	Pontianak
Cheribon	Rangoon
Djember	Semarang
Djokjakarta	Singapore
Hongkong	Soerabaya
Kobe	Soerakarta
Kota-Radja	Tebing-Tinggi
Langsa	Tegal
Makassar	Telok Betong
Medan	Tjilatjap
Padang	Weltevreden

London Bankers
National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.

Correspondents at the principal places in Europe, Asia, Australia and North America.
The Bank buys, sells and receives for collection bills of exchange, issues letters of credit on its branches and correspondents and transacts banking business of every description.
SHANGHAI INTEREST ALLOWED on current tael accounts and fixed deposits, according to arrangement.
M. J. HERBSCHLEB,
Agent.

華僑銀行 The Bank of East Asia, Ltd.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
No. 10 Kiukiang Road.

Authorized Capital .. $10,000,000.00
Paid up Capital .... $ 5,000,000.00
Reserved Fund $200,000.00
HEAD OFFICE: Hongkong.
BRANCHES: Canton, Saigon.
LONDON BANKERS: London Joint City and Midland Bank.
Correspondents in all principal cities of the world. All kinds of banking business transacted.
Interest allowed on current deposits and fixed deposits.
Loans granted on approved securities.
R. CHENG,
Manager.

The Chekiang Industrial Bank, Ltd

Established 1908

Capital $2,000,000.00
Reserve Fund $133,810.00
Undivided Profits .. $120,751.00

Head Office and Branches:
Hangchow, Shanghai, Haimon, Hankow and Lanchi.
Domestic Agencies:
Throughout CHINA'S principal Cities.
Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, Rotterdam, New York, Chicago, San Francisco, Hamburg, Berlin, Tokyo, Koke, Yokohama, Osaka, Hakodate, Seoul, Fusan and Hongkong.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and fixed Depisits according to arrangements.
Saving Accounts at 4% compound interest.
Every description of Banking and Exchange transacted.
LI MING,
SHANGHAI BRANCH,
U39 Peking Road.
Tel. C. 3145, Manager's Office C. 2147, General Office
Cable Address:
"CHINDUBANK" Shanghai

SINO-ITALIAN BANK

Aut. Cap. Silver Dollars, 4,800,000
Aut. Cap. Gold It. Lire 16,000,000
Paid up Capital ..Silver $1,200,000
Paid up Cap. Gold It. Lire 4,000,000
Branches:
Hankow, Peking, S'hai, Tientsin
Bankers:
Italy: Credito Italiano.
England: Credito Italiano, National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ld., Glyn Mills and Currie.
France: Banque Francaise et Italienne pour l'Amerique du Sud Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris Banque Italo Belge.
United States: Credito Italiano Equitable Trust Company.
Canada: Canadian Bank of Commerce.
South America: Banca Italo Belga.
Switzerland: Banca Unione di Credito.
Banque Commerciale de le Bale Len & Co.'s Bank.
Banca Unione de Credito.
Belgium—Credit Central Liegeois.
Current, fixed and savings accounts carried in Taels, Dollars, Sterling, U. S. Gold, Italian Lire, Francs and other currencies. Terms on application.
General banking business transacted. Special facilities for Italian exchange.
Telegraphic Address: Banksinit, SHANGHAI, No. 16 Kiukiang Rd.
Tel. Offices: Central 5090 & 5091.
Managers' Office, Central 5094.

Chung Foo Union Bank

(Established in 1917)
Statutes approved by the Government in 1919
Head Office: TIENTSIN

Subscribed Capital $2,000,000.00
Paid-Up Capital $1,500,000.00
Reserve Fund ..... $ 180,000.00

Managing Director: T. Clarence Sun
Deputy Managing Director: Nieh Chi-wen

Branches and Agencies in Domestic Cities and Foreign Countries:

Tientsin	Chinkiang	Icheng	Yokohama
Shanghai	Soochow	Changsha	Chicago
Peking	Wusieh	Shasi	Philadelphia
Hankow	Hsuchow	Wuhu	Seattle
Nanking	Ningpo	London	Baltimore
Yangchow	Shaoshing	New York	Cleveland
Hangchow	Canton	San Francisco	Detroit
Pengpu	Hongkong	Boston	Buffalo
Changchun	Changteh	Tokio	Pittsburgh
Antung	Chengchow	Osaka	Montreal
Kiukiang	Tsinkiangpu	Kobe	St. Louis
		Cincinnati	

And also in other principal cities in foreign countries.

Shanghai Branch:
8 441 Ningpo Road.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in taels, dollars, and other currencies according to arrangement.
Credits granted on approved securities.
Y. B. Sun, Manager,
T. D. Zar, Sub-Manager.

The Shanghai Commercial & Savings Bank, Ltd.

Head Office: 9 Ningpo Road

Capital $2,500,000.00
Reserve $400,000.00

Every description of modern banking and exchange business transacted—Personal, National & International.

Branches and Agencies:
In principal cities throughout China
Foreign Correspondents:

London	New York	Yokohama
Paris	Chicago	Tokyo
Marseilles	Seattle	Osaka
Amsterdam	San Francisco	Manila
Berlin	Singapore	

Cable Address: "COMSAVBANK"
K. P. CHEN,
General Manager.

Authorized Capital: $20,000,000
Paid-up $5,000,000

中南銀行 CHINA & SOUTH SEA BANK, LTD.

4 Hankow Road, Shanghai.

Every kind of banking business transacted. Agents and correspondents all over the world.

Telegraphic Address: Chinasosea
Tel. Nos. Managing Director: C. 6324 Foreign Exchange: C. 3099
Y. Hou, Managing Director.

FAR EASTERN BANK

Capital Authorised ..... Lit. 50,000,000.—
Capital Paid up ..... Lit. 12,500,000.—

HEAD OFFICE
36, Kiangse Road, Shanghai.

BANKERS
London Joint City & Midland Bank; London, England.
Banca dell'Italia Meridionale; Naples, Milan, Bari, Genoa, Palermo, Pozzuoli. Italy.
Deutsche Bank; Hamburg, Germany.
East River National Bank, New York, U. S. A.
Bank of Italy, San Francisco, Cal., U. S. A.
The Dai-Ichi Ginko, Ltd., Tokyo, Yokohama, Japan.

BRANCHES
Canton—Tientsin—Tsingtao,
SHANGHAI BRANCH
Interest allowed on current accounts, savings accounts and fixed deposits in all currencies according to arrangement.
Local bills discounted. Cable transfers bought and sold. Drafts issued and telegraphic transfers effected all over the World.
SPECIAL FACILITIES for Italian business and Exchange, for Gold exchange and for Chinese Stock Exchange transactions.
Viscount di Villa & Mr. W. S. T. Nien,
Managing Directors.
TELEPHONE:—C. 3487 Managers
C. 6678 T. T. and Exchange
C. 2082 General Office
C. 494 Chinese Department.

Commercial Bank of China

Head Office: SHANGHAI

	Sh. Tls.
Subscribed Capital ...	5,000,000
Paid-Up Capital	2,500,000

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance. On Fixed deposits:—
For 3 months at 3% per annum.
For 6 months at 4% per annum.
For 12 months at 5% per annum.
On deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.
H. C. MARSHALL,
Chief Manager.

Banque De L'Indo-Chine

	Francs.
Subscribed Capital	72,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital	68,400,000.00
Reserve Fund (1|6|20)	69,500,000.00

Head Office:
No. 96 Boulevard Hanoomann, Paris.

Branches and Agencies

Saigon	Pnom-Penh	Battambang
Haiphong	Hanoi	Tourane
Peking	Hankow	Tientsin
Hongkong	Canton	Mongtze
Singapore	Pondichery	Bangkok
Papeete	Shanghai	Noumea
	Djibouti	Yunnanfu

London Bankers:
The National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.
Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris—Credit Lyonnais

The Shanghai Agency undertakes all Banking and Exchange operations; grants credits on goods and approved securities; opens current and fixed deposit accounts in taels and francs according to arrangement.
R. ARDAIN, Manager.

THE SHANGHAI INDUSTRIAL BANKING CORPORATION

HEAD OFFICE: SHANGHAI.
Branch: 17 & 18 Kiukiang Road.
Capital $1,000,000
Paid-up ..... $ 250,000
Fixed Deposit Capital .. $ 500,000
Domestic Agencies
In principal commercial centres in China.
Foreign Correspondence
In all important places of the world.
General Banking Business of every description transacted.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangements.
Savings Accounts at 5% compound interest.
Special Savings Accounts for Laborers.
ROBERT LEE, General Manager.
K. L. SUNG, Manager.
S. Y. FONG, Sub-Manager.
Cable Address: "BANKSIBCO"
Tel. C. 6401, Manager's Office.
C. 6415, Foreign Dept.
C. 6414, General Office.

Woman Describes Plot To Murder Lenin And Aides

(Rosta News Agency)

Moscow, April 16.—A prominent ex-socialist - revolutionary, Lydia Konopleva, in a series of articles published in a local paper, contributes damaging evidence showing that the Socialist-Revolutionary Central Committee is guilty of deliberately planning assassinations, incendiarism, mutinies and other atrocities.

She describes in detail the attempts on the lives of Lenin, Trotsky and others, bomb-throwing plots, seditious propaganda in the navy, expropriations, and terrorism. The murders of Volodarsky and Uritsky were deliberately planned and executed by party orders. She also testifies the connection between the party and French and other foreign spies.

Konopleva confesses to having received herself through the socialist-revolutionary Ignatiev from the French Mission 10,000 roubles in 1918 for the military committee of the party, which co-operated with the Black Hundred organisations.

The writer denounces her former leaders as hypocrites and cowards, disclaiming responsibility for their terroristic acts like Kaplan's attempted assassination of Lenin and similar atrocities plotted by the party leaders in Konopleva's presence.

Soviet Delegates Accused Of Spying

(Reuter's Service)

London, April 27.—The relations between Soviet Russia and Esthonia have become strained in consequence of the Soviet having arrested M. Paul, the Esthonian representative at Tiflis, and three consular authorities, whom they declined to release.

They also declined to make any explanation to the Esthonian Government. As a reprisal the latter has arrested four members of the Soviet Legation at Reval in connection with espionage.

Eight Louisiana Villages Flooded

(China Press Service)

New Orleans, April 27.—As a result of the breaking of Mississippi levees in Louisana, eight villages have been flooded. Tug crews are rescuing the residents.

Japanese Jobless In Shantung Want Government Grant

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, April 19.—The restitution of the Shantung Railway to China will necessitate the dismissal of about two thousand Japanese railwaymen. The men held a mass meeting recently and passed a resolution asking the Government for a special discharge allowance.

Three Arrests In $2,500,000 Robbery

(China Press Service)

New York, April 27.—Paul and Jack Wolfe, and Jacob Price were arrested by postoffice officials in connection with the $2,500,000 mail truck robbery in Broadway last October. Stolen securities valued at $75,000 were recovered.

Soviets Trying To Stop Tuberculosis

(China Press Service)

Moscow, April 16.—The secretary of the International Anti-Tuberculosis League, Professor Panwitz, returning from the Petrograd convention, declared himself most satisfied with the convention and the efficient Russian preventive measures under difficult conditions.

The socialist trend of the Russian tuberculosis specialists at the convention he found quite appropriate, because this social disease should be combated by altering social conditions rather than by drugs. He, therefore, considers Russia's treatment of the tuberculosis question in harmony with the aims of the International Anti-Tuberculosis League.

Financial And Commercial News

BENJAMIN AND POTT SHARE LIST
Yesterday's Close

Stock	Closing Quotations
Banks	
H. K. and S. B.	$40 B.
Chartered	£14¼
Russo-Asiatic	Rs. 250
Marine Insurance	
Canton	H. $442 B.
North China	Tls. 144
Union of Canton	H.245 B.
Yangtsze	$24 B.
Far Eastern Ins.	Tls. 22½
Fire Insurance	
China Fire	H. $125½ B.
Hongkong Fire	H.$360
Shipping	
Indo-China Def	H.$262 S.
Indo-China Pref.	H. $38 B.
"Shell"	103/6 B.
Shanghai Tug ord	Tls. 47 B.
S'hai Tug Pref.	Tls. 87½ B.
Mining	
Kaiping	Tls. 22¾
Oriental Cons	18/-
Raub	H.$1 B.
Docks	
Hongkong Dock	H.$148½
Shanghai Dock	Tls. 112 B.
New Eng. Works	Tls. 8 B.
" Pref.	Tls. 4.80
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf	H.$151
Hongkong Wharf	H.$103½ B.
Lands and Hotels	
A.-French Land	Tls. 89½ B.
Shanghai Land	Tls. 89½ B.
Weihaiwei Land	Tls. 8
S'hai Hotel, Ltd.	$50 B.
China Realty ord.	Tls. 50
China Realty Pref	Tls. 50
Cotton Mills	
E-wo (ord.)	Tls. 15.15xr B.
E-wo (pref.)	Tls. 100
Laou-kung-mow	Tls. 23
Oriental	Tls. 9¾
Shanghai Cotton	Tls. 146
Industrials	
Butler Tiles	Tls. 25
China Sugar	H.$182 B.
Green Island	H.$20.80 B.
Langkats	Tls. 10
Major Bros.	Tls. 5
S'hai Sumatra	Tls. 80
Stores	
Hall and Holtz	$7 S.
Llewelyn	$42½
Lane Crawford	$102 B.
Moutrie	$45
Watson	H.$9½ B.
Weeks	$13
Rubbers (Local)	
Alma	Tls. 2½ B.
Amherst	Tls. 0.15
Anglo-Java	Tls. 3.85 S.
Anglo-Dutch	Tls. 0.50 B.
Ayer Tawah	Tls. 11½ B.
Batu Anam 1918	Tls. 0.30 B.
Bute	Tls. 0.30 B.
Bukit Toh Alang	Tls. 1
Chemor United	Tls. 0.35 B.
Chempedak	Tls. 2
Cheng	Tls. 0.20 B.
Consolidated	Tls. 0.95 B.
Dominion	Tls. 0.60 B.
Sgia Kalumpong	Tls. 4¾ B.
Java Consolidated	Tls. 4 B.
Kapala	Tls. 0.20
Kapayang	Tls. 6
Karan	Tls. 3
Kedah	Tls. 1
Kota Bahroe	Tls. 0.30 B.
Kroewoek Java	Tls. 4¼ B.
Padang	Tls. 8
Pengkalan Durian	Tls. 1
Permata	Tls. 0.40 B.
Repah	Tls. 0.25
Samagagas	Tls. 0.25 B.
Seekees	Tls. 50 cts.
Semambu	Tls. 0.60 B.
Senawang	Tls. 0.60
S'hai Klebang	Tls. 0.35
Shanghai Malay	Tls. 1
S'hai Malay pref.	Tls. 5
Shanghai Pahang	Tls. 0.55
Sungala	Tls. 25 cts.
Sungei Duri	Tls. 4¼ B.
Sua Manggis	Tls. 1
S'hai Seremban	Tls. 0.40
Taiping	Tls. 0.15
Tanah Merah	Tls. 0.25
Tebong	Tls. 0.80
Xiangbes	Tls. 1.80 B.
Miscellaneous	
C. I. & E. Lumber	Tls. 325
Cuity Dairy	Tls. 10 B.
Shanghai Trams	Tls. 102 B.
Shanghai Gas	Tls. 27xd B.
Horse Bazaar	Tls. 45
S'hai Mercury	Tls. 20 B.
S'hai Telephone	Tls. 89 S.
S'hai Waterworks	Tls. 140

S., Sellers, Sa. Sales, B. Buyers, Benjamin and Potts, 8 Jinkee Rd. Telephone No. Central 898

Stock Exchange
Transactions

Shanghai, April 28, 1922
TODAY'S QUOTATIONS
OFFICIAL BUSINESS
Yangtsze Insurance $24.25
Shanghai Lands Tls. 90.00
Ewo Mills Tls. 15.15 XR
Shanghai Gas Tls. 28.00 XD
UNOFFICIAL BUSINESS
Shanghai Docks Tls. 112.50

Call West 189 Ford Hire Service

Money Exchange

Shanghai, April 28, 1922
Market 72.5
Native Interest 17
Mexican Dollars
Shanghai Gold Bars 978
Touch 308½
Copper Cash 225.000
Bar Silver 34½
Bar London rate
Paris on London 48.05
New York on London ..442½

Banks Opening Selling Rates
London
Telegraphic Transfer 3s. 4½d.
Demand ..... 3s. 4¾d.
New York
Telegraphic Transfer.... 74¾
Demand 75

OPENING RATES
April 28, 1922
Bar Silver Spot 34½—3/4⅝
Bar Silver Forward ...34⅝
Mex. Dollars 72.5
Native Interest 17

Hongkong and Shanghai Bank
Opening quotations 9:30 a.m.
BANKS' SELLING RATES
London (T.T.) 3/4½
London (Demand) 3/4¾
London 4 m-s 3/5
India (T.T.) 266½
France (T.T.) 810
America (T.T.) 74¾
Hongkong (T.T.) 74
Japan (T.T.) 63¾
Batavia (T.T.) 200
Straits (T.T.) 68½

BANKS BUYING RATE
London 4 m-s Credits.. 3/7
London 4 m-s Docts... 3/7⅛
London 6 m-s Credits.. 3/7⅛
London 6 m-s Docts ..
France 4 m-s 860
America 4 m-s L/c 78¾
Docs 79¼

Gold Dollars: Bank buying rates
@ 77¾ = Tls. 128.62
@ exch. 72.7 = Mex. $176.92
Sovereign: Bank buying rate
@ 3s. 6d. = Tls. 5.71
@ exch. 72.7 = Mex. $7.85

International Banking Corporation
CLOSING COUNTER RATES
Demand selling on America 75
Demand buying on America 76¼
Demand selling on London 3s. 4⅝d.
Demand buying on London 3s. 5⅛d.

GOLD BAR QUOTATIONS
(Far Eastern Bank)

Time	Quotations	Bars.
Opening		
9:00	308.60	
9:20	307.80	1680
9:30	308.20	1120
9:50	308.50	2310
10:05	308.70	560
10:20	308.30	560
10:30	307.90	560
10:45	308.70	700
11:00	308.10	560
11:10	308.30	700
Closed at:		
11:18	308.60	
Afternoon:		
Opening:		
2:00	308.70	
2:10	308.70	350
2:15	308.50	700
2:25	308.10	210
2:30	308.40	350
2:40	308.40	350
2:50	308.30	70
Closed at:		
3:00	308.50	140

ROUBLES EXCHANGE
Banks' Buying Rate
Roubles 250,000 ..... Tls. 100
Roubles 100 ..... Mex. $0.05

SINO-ITALIAN BANK
Bank's Selling Rates
It. Lire 14.00 = 1 Tael
Swiss Frs. 3.82 = 1 Tael
Marks 200.00 = 1 Tael
Equivalent Foreign Quotations
It. Lire 82.00 = 1 Pound Sterling
It. Lire 18.60 = 1 U. S. Dollar
It. Lire 172.15 = 100 Fr. Francs

PARIS-LONDON RATE
(French Wireless through Reuter)
Paris, April 27.—The Paris-London cross-rate was quoted today at: £1 = francs 48.03.

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April 28, 1922

Silver was again unchanged in both London and New York yesterday.

The London-New York cross rate declined to 442⅞.

Our official rates here today were unchanged from yesterday, and the market was very much along yesterday's lines, with little business passing.

Business in Sterling was done at 3-5 for April, and 3-4⅞ for May-June. Gold Dollars were done at 75⅝ for April and 75½ for May-June.

In the afternoon the market was a shade steadier, and there were sellers, rather than buyers, at the above rates.

There were again a few bills offering today covering silk to France.

The London and New York silver markets are both reported as steady and quiet.

Rubber Prices

Messrs. R. N. Truman and Co., inform us that the following is a translation of a telegraphic report received from their Singapore agents in connection with the weekly auctions held at Singapore on Wednesday, April 26, 1922:

Average price realised:

No. 1 Smoked Sheet $0.28¼ per pound equivalent to 0s. 7⅝d. ex warehouse Singapore.

No. 1 Crepe $0.28 per pound equivalent to 0s. 7⅝d. ex warehouse Singapore.

Market steady. Offered 555 tons; sold 404 tons.

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Rubber Output Cut 25,000 Tons, Report

(Reuter's Service)

London, April 27.—At the annual meeting of the Rubber Growers Association, the chairman, Sir Stanley Bois, pointed out that their voluntary restriction of output scheme had not been fruitless although it had not received sufficient support to make it very effective.

It was estimated that 25,000 tons less had been produced than in the corresponding period of the previous year, and allowing for reduction in relation to normal output, a further 10,000 tons might be added.

He said he hoped the negotiations with the Dutch Indies Government in regard to co-operation in legislative action to safeguard the industry would be energetically proceeded with, and that an agreement in regard to combined action would be shortly reached.

Rail History Of China Proposed

(Chung Mei Service)

Peking, April 22.—Ly order of the Ministry of Communications a committee has been appointed to compile a history of the Communications in China. This committee consists mainly of members of the Ministry of Communications, with Messrs. Kwang Kengling and Lin Yu-kwan as chairman and vice-chairman respectively.

Mr. Yeh Kung-chow is reported to have been the original promotor of this project and has received great encouragement from his colleagues in the four departments of the Ministry of Communications.

Preparations have already been begun in the collection of materials and necessary data.

Wrangel's Men Repentant, Asserts Moscow Report

(Rosta News Agency)

Moscow, April 16.—The Russian Trade Envoy, Mr. Koudish, returning from Constantinople, describes the terrible plight of Wrangel's Crimean refugees, who in crowds besiege the Soviet mission asking for permission to return home.

A great effect was produced on the refugees by the All-Russian Central Executive Committee's decree granting amnesty to passive counter-revolutionaries. The hungry and shelterless refugees desperately seize every means of returning to Russia, even as stowaways.

Korean Workmen In Riot In Japan

(Reuter Pacific Service)

Tokio, April 22.—An attack was made on Thursday night on the Nagoya Spinning Company at Atsuta in Aichi Prefecture by about 100 Korean workmen, in the employ of the company. The cause was that the company employed ten Korean women workers recently without notifying the Korean Laborers Union organised by the Korean workmen.

The latter demanded the discharge of the women, but in vain, and attempted to seek revenge by forcing their way into the factory. One of the porters who resisted them sustained serious injury. Order was restored by the police and the arrest of 20 men.

Banque Directors To Call Assessments

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, April 27.—It is understood that the Directors of the Banque Industrielle de Chine have decided to call up the third and fourth instalments on shares, namely 250 francs per share from June 15 to July 15.

Later.—The call on the Banque Industrielle de Chine shares is confirmed, payable between June 15 and July 15.

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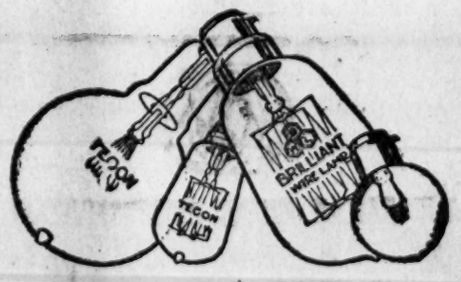
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WEATHER

Overcast weather with intermittent and thundery rain in our valley. Easterly breezes over our coasts. Very variable breezes to the North of Shantung.

Japan's Attitude In Siberia

A WIRELESS message of some importance reached Harbin from Japan a few days ago. It was to the effect that Colonel Ueda, one of the heads of the Japanese Intelligence Service in Siberia, having been recalled to Tokio to report in detail on the conditions in the Maritime Province, had given to the press some comments on the action of the Japanese Military Command in the so-called neutral zone. In the course of his remarks he stated, what is of course common knowledge, that a Chita force, which he estimates at 3,000 strong, has pushed into the neutral zone to a point some 200 miles from Vladivostok. He states that (at that time) the Japanese forces had not hindered the entrance of these troops into the neutral zone, as the Japanese Military Command desired to avoid an undesirable clash; but the Japanese Command had sent a Note to the Chita authorities demanding the immediate withdrawal of the troops and giving notice that if they were not withdrawn the Japanese troops would proceed to disarm them, or would try to do so.

Colonel Ueda predicted that such an attempt to disarm the Chita troops would undoubtedly cause bloodshed, and he was of opinion that Chita would not agree to recall the Red troops as the Japanese authorities themselves had violated the agreement about the neutral zone by allowing armed detachments of Russian reactionaries to stay in the zone. This statement appears to have been made in Japan about the sixth instant, and a good deal has happened since then. Reuter has reported that during the past few days there have been actual clashes between the Japanese Military Command and the Red troops, whose pursuit of the retreating Whites or reactionaries was held up by the Japanese forces, a piece of partisanship that is in entire consonance with the whole of Japanese practice in and towards Siberia but entirely out of harmony with Japan's professed policy and precept.

The second part of Colonel Ueda's comment is extremely interesting. He candidly admits that the proposal to disarm the Red forces is likely to lead to bloodshed, which as yet it has not done because there has been no attempt to put it into effect, the Japanese Military Command taking the more drastic step of opposing the Red troops without giving them a chance to disarm: and, much more important still, he confesses that the Japanese Military Command itself has infringed the neutrality on which it professes to set such store. He frankly confesses that "the Japanese themselves have violated the agreement regarding the neutral zone by allowing the armed detachments of Russian reactionaries to stay in the zone."

The Chita authorities have never recognised the existence of a neutral zone, and cannot therefore be expected to act according to the terms of the agreement establishing it; and the Japanese authorities know quite well that the Chita Government takes this position in the matter. Under the circumstances the Japanese, probably owing to their lack of diplomatic experience, or to the foolish habit they have acquired of leaving their diplomacy to the military caste, have done just about the most foolish thing they could do. If they sincerely desire to have the neutral zone recognised by the Chita Government they should at least recognise it themselves, not merely in theory but in practice. They will never secure Chita's recognition, either in principle or in practice, of a theory which they themselves are violating every day, and the more thoroughly they ignore the neutral zone theory the less seriously will Chita take any representations they may have to make on the subject of its violation by others.

It is interesting, just at this moment, to have this Japanese acknowledgment of failure to live up to the principles the Japanese are trying to get others to adopt, for it almost coincides with the dispatch to the Tokio Government of a second protest from Mr. Yanson, Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Far Eastern Republic, against the neutral zone theory and against Japanese inconsistency with regard to it. On March 2 Mr. Yanson sent in a strong protest against Japanese unneutral action in the Maritime Province, reciting specific instances of the complete violation of neutrality and setting forth a series of facts demonstrating the truth of the allegation of active Japanese assistance rendered to the reactionary forces.

Mr. Yanson went on to recite a new series of facts: how the forces of the Far Eastern Republic were moving steadily southward to the Ussuri River, driving the reactionaries before them; how the reactionaries, driven to bay, crossed the Ussuri River where, if there be any virtue at all in the so-called Neutral Zone Agreement (which the Japanese claim there is, but the Chita authorities deny), they should have been disarmed; how the Japanese forces even protected the rear of the retreating reactionary troops; how the Japanese command went even further and dispatched an armored train to meet the advancing Chita forces and prevent their further advance; how eventually, on the 2nd of this month, the Japanese forces between Sviagino and Evgenievka stations of the Ussuri Railway resorted to unprovoked and aggressive action; how the Japanese forces refused to receive communications from a specially empowered delegate of the Chita forces, and finally developed a complete attack on the Chita forces.

All these things are recited, as well as the fact that whilst the Japanese attack of April 2 was developing the Chita forces retired without firing a shot, in accordance with the instructions of the Red army higher command which had forbidden the acceptance of a battle with the Japanese; and in conclusion the Note protests against Japan's action and enquires what motives inspire it.

The Note is one of damming sobriety of language, which perhaps accounts for the fact that, though it was dated the 4th instant and obviously deals with matters of the utmost moment, it has not yet elicited a reply. The fact is that no satisfactory reply can be given. The whole of Japanese action rests on the assumption that one state has a right to dictate the internal policy of another, and even to direct that policy by armed force if necessary. This is an assumption that would be repudiated in the smallest and weakest country on earth. It is an assumption utterly at variance with the terms on which the members of the Genoa Conference are meeting, and its maintenance by Japan involves violation of those terms in several directions.

One of the conditions precedent of membership of the Genoa Conference is that the participants undertake not to engage in hostilities against each other. The Far Eastern Republic, it is true, is not a member of the Genoa Conference, but the political, geographical and traditional relations between the Far Eastern Republic and Soviet Russia are such that an armed attack on the Far Eastern Republic is to all intents and purposes an armed attack on Soviet Russia. No wonder that Mr. Chicherin hesitates to sit down at the same conference table with the representatives of Japan!

The prospects are very grave. The patience of the Chita Government has been greatly tried. That Government sees the whole of the Far Eastern Republic acknowledging, and gladly acknowledging, the authority vested in it by a succession of popular votes, except that there is just one corner, insignificant in area, that stands aloof; and it is known that the standing aloof is not voluntary. Vladivostok and its environs are not free to record their suffrages. They are subject to, and in the military occupation of, Japan. They are administered by a Government that maintains itself by means of Japanese bayonets and by pawning to Japan every available asset, quite regardless of the fact that every one of these transactions is barefaced robbery. Japan has been given notice to evacuate the whole of Siberia. Mr. Hughes gave her that notice at Washington, a notice to quit as unmistakable as it was unpalatable.

Japan is at present in all probability only holding on until, through her tool, the Merkuloff Government, every last available asset shall have been pawned. She is holding on, however, by outrageous acts of partisanship, by the violation of every decency. And the holding on is so futile, for it is quite certain that the Government of the Far Eastern Republic will never admit responsibility for, or the validity of, the numerous pawnbroking arrangements that the Merkuloff Government has made. Japan must know this, yet she is steadily exasperating the sentiments and exasperating the feelings of the great mass of the population of the Far Eastern Republic, and, however patient the Government of the Republic may be, there will come a time when the people's patience is exhausted and either the Government will be compelled to declare war or the exhausted patience of the people will express itself in acts the very contemplation of which makes one uncomfortable.

The Government of the Far Eastern Republic does not want war, nor does it want to see grow amongst the people a steady and persistent hatred of Japan that may burst out some day in an unholy flame; nor do the people of the Far Eastern Republic want war or to cherish hatred. But, Japan is deliberately provoking both, in spite of her pledges at Genoa. It is in the power of Japan to prevent either calamity, and if Japan will not act, then the matter is one for Genoa itself to deal with. Surely the Conference can discipline its members!

The Spice Of Life

A Faux Pas.—At Southern railway stations it is the custom of darkies to sell chicken patties and other delicacies to passengers. A passenger who had enjoyed a patty and was leaning out of the window to buy another, asked of the dusky salesman:

"Where do you get your chicken?"

The darky rolled his eyes. "You-all f'om de No'th, ain't you, sah?" he queried.

"Yes," was the reply. "But why do you ask that?"

"'Case, sah! No gem'l'm'n f'om de South eber asks a nigger whar he gits his chicken."—*The Argonaut (San Francisco).*

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REPLYING TO H. M. W.

Editor, THE CHINA PRESS,

Dear Sir: The letter from H. M. W. in your issue today is evidently based on a misapprehension which if not corrected may do harm to the approaching conference and the great cause which it seeks to promote.

Nothing could be farther from the truth than that there is in any quarter a desire to leave out of the program the Person of Our Lord and His redeeming work. The sole object of the conference is to exalt Him as Lord and Redeemer. The report of Commission III must be understood in the light of the task entrusted to the Commission. It was not intended to deal at length with the fundamental beliefs which are common to all Christians and are the presupposition of the whole conference, but with those applications of the Christian message which have a special significance in relation to the conditions prevailing in China today. In the Christian message there are some things which are eternal and unchangeable, but it is the task of each generation of Christians and of the Church in each country to consider afresh how this unchanging message can best be brought home to the mind and conscience of the age in which they are living. It was with this question that Commission III was concerned.

In regard to the second point in H. M. W.'s letter it can be said that there is no intention whatever of limiting freedom of speech on any subjects relevant to the topics in which the conference is interested. The conference will have about one thousand members and will be compelled to do its work in two languages. Many members will desire to speak. It is readily seen that the amount of available time for speeches is limited. Rules of procedure, therefore, that will facilitate full expression and yet save time are absolutely essential. Two rules will be unanimously recommended to the conference by the Committee on Arrangements; first that resolutions to be submitted to the conference shall first pass through the business committee; second, that those desiring to take part in the discussion shall send in their names on cards provided for that purpose either on a previous date or during the session at which they wish to speak. Should many members desire to speak it is inevitable that time cannot be found for some. The purpose of these rules is that matters of interest to the great majority of the members might have full and free discussion. It is always easy in a large conference of this kind for time to be monopolised by matters of interest only to a small majority of the conference to the exclusion of the really important subjects. In selecting from the cards sent up by those who desire to take part in the discussion the chairman will endeavor to give place to as many different points of view bearing upon the subject under discussion as the time available will permit.

Appreciating the opportunity of correcting this misapprehension, I remain, Yours faithfully,

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Be Unafraid To Retrace Your Steps

BY DR. CHARLES FLEISCHER

Retrace your steps!

You may arrive a bit later, but you will be on the right road at any rate!

If pride does not prevent you from retracing your steps when you know that you have lost your way, be brave and acknowledge your mistake!

Last Summer we were descending Mt. Washington. The trail lay at the side of a down-rushing torrent. We stopped to admire a picturesque cataract. That pause had disturbed our focus—though it had filled our eyes with beauty.

We ploughed through tangled thickets, over what seemed like a well-worn path, but promptly we knew that we had lost the trail!

For a while the proud spirit of adventure held us to the wrong scent, and then we decided to be discreet rather than valorous. For it is no fun to be actually lost on Mt. Washington, night coming fast—and no preparations for camping out!

WE RETRACED OUR STEPS. Returning to the point whence we had started astray we found that the trail really continued across the torrent and then along the further bank.

That was a harmless, if momentarily exciting, experience in the great out-of-doors. To all of us come similar tests of discretion as we travel through life.

We find ourselves, occasionally, on the wrong road—and then the query: Have we the courage to retrace our steps, to find and to resume the right road?

Consider the always convenient case of Germany. She had been making marvelous progress during all of the nineteenth century. Since the Franco-Prussian war she had been going forward by leaps and bounds. Her commerce and culture, her science and even her language were making peaceful conquest of the earth.

And then—she took the wrong way! She began to indulge in the fantastic dream of world empire.

The murder of the Austrian archduke gave her a fancied opportunity to strike the first blow. She picked a fight with Russia, declared war, and attacked France by way of Belgium, thinking that Britain would remain neutral.

She must have known then that she had strayed from the right road.

If only she had shown spiritual vision and humility and had quickly developed the moral courage to retrace her steps! How she would have gained in glory and really have taken her place in the sun!

To low depths even a nation may fall, quite as easily as an individual, when once the wrong road is taken and the courage is lacking to retrace the fateful way.

Commonly we associate this willful waywardness with youth; but adult age and full maturity are by no means exempt from such folly.

The sad fact is: That we are about ready to die when we have but fairly learned how to live.

The young man after his first escapade; the love-hungry girl after her first dangerous surrender; the professional man making the first compromise with his conscience; the cashier, having "borrowed" the firm's funds for his private speculations—all these, and the great hosts of us whom they merely symbolise—if only we summoned the moral strength to retrace our steps, what vice and sin and tragedy might not be averted!

And not only that, but the moral triumph that we register by that process! For we have met the enemy—and he is ours!

Temptation has been faced and conquered. Having wrestled with the angel by the brook—like Jacob of old—we do not allow him to depart until he has given us his blessing.

False pride is laid low and self-respect is exalted.

Such store of spiritual strength is ours that we can help God to answer our prayer when next we are led into temptation—not fearing, but confidently facing it as proven conquerors.

By all means be unafraid to retrace your steps—when wrong.

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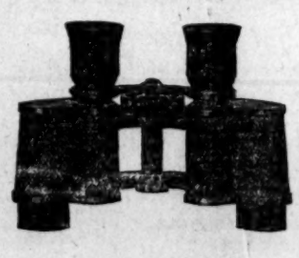
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The Week's Market Report

In their weekly report on the Shanghai piece-goods trade, Messrs. Noel, Murray and Company write as follows:

Cotton.—The markets have remained very steady for several weeks and in Liverpool rates are about the same as last quoted, 10.23d for Spot Good Middlings, 10.21d for May and 10.26d for July. Bengals and Egyptians are both unchanged at 7.80d and 17.50d respectively. In order to maintain the price of Egyptian Cotton, for the first time in history, the Government has appeared in the market as a buyer. Prices in New York yesterday were firmer than last, at 18.20 cents for Spot, 18.05 for May, 17.69 for July, 17.70 for October, 17.70 for December and 17.66 cents for January. In Bombay prices are about the same as last week's—Rs. 340 for F. G. Bengals, Rs. 373 for Fine Oomras and Rs. 458 for F. G. Broach.

Home Market.—Reuter reports a reduction of 3d. in the price of Hornby's 8¼ lbs. Shirtings, which are now quoted at 16/- Calvert's 10 lbs. Shirtings are unchanged at 20/6. As far as can be gathered there has been little buying recently for this market, so it is difficult to learn what the tendency of the home market is.

Local Market.—Much the same conditions as last week exist except perhaps that the opposing armies are drawing closer together and are increasing in size; railways have been cut in several places and the portion of the navy that was at anchor in Shanghai will move up north to operate at Chinwangtao and Taku and it is reported that apparently the navy has been ordered to fight on the side of Wu Pei-fu against the Mukden's war lord Chang Tso-lin. We heard this morning that news is to hand that hostilities have actually begun; it is to be hoped the conflict will be short and decisive. In the meantime the Chinese are very nervous and it is reported that much cargo is being sent into this port for safety. Clearances for Ningpo, the south and up river have been going on and it is said many orders are on hand but in present conditions very little business is being transacted and no auctions have been held this week, but a certain quantity of goods have been delivered on the basis of the last auction prices and it is now being discussed as to whether it shall be attempted to resume the sales next week, special stipulations being made to protect the sellers against an undue cutting in prices which would surely happen were the usual "without reserve," conditions to be in force. There have been every good clearances again this week and it is noticeable that no less than 50,000 pieces of American sheetings have been delivered during the last month, although the stock list shows nothing on hand; this is not a good commentary on the accuracy of the returns made of goods in godown on 31st December last. Widows' cruises do not exist in these days. Stocks in Osaka and Kobe have increased by 1,000 packages to 46,167 packages valued at Yen 13,380,000 in the period from 31st March to 15th April.

Yarn.—Nothing has been done in Indian kinds but 6,400 bales of Local Spinnings have been taken and 3,100 bales for resale in Bundles.

American Piece Goods.—American papers report that early in March, China purchased between 2,000 and 3,000 bales of Sheetings and again on the 22nd March she bought in the neighbourhood of 1,700 cases of flannels and 5,000 bales of Sheetings.

ROSENFELD REPORT

In their weekly report on the cotton market, Messrs. A. B. Rosenfeld and Son write as follows:

China Cotton.—During the past week, the cotton market has been uneventful but with a rather steady undertone in a general way, and although there has been a moderate revival of mill interest, operations of local professionals have also been in evidence. Fluctuations have been irregular and within a narrow range, and the undertone on the whole has been quite steady; notwithstanding the dragging tendency of the interior marts.

Planting is gradually becoming general throughout the cotton belt and although there are, more or less, complaints on account of the rain, dry weather from now on will be very beneficial.

Aside from the new crop situation, the diminishing movement of the actual cotton has assisted a rather bullish sentiment; especially so as the demand for desirable cotton has been fairly active. Low grades, however, have not shared in this demand and the continued neglect has caused a depreciation on their relative values. In the meanwhile the market will be governed by weather conditions and by the action of domestic mills and professional operators.

For the present, however, we do not see any reason for departing from the policy we have been advocating in the past of buying whenever the market seems unduly depressed, as we still maintain that prices must advance in the near future.

Yarn: During the early part of the week the market has been keeping steady and at the close, the price improved some one to two taels with undertone firm. Business for export has been booked, some 16,000 to 17,000 bales and some 11,000 to 12,500 bales direct business with the mills have been recorded. The future trend of the market is hopeful and a brisk revival in new orders is looked forward to in the near future.

SPUNT AND COMPANY

Messrs. J. Spunt and Company write as follows in their weekly cotton market report.

China Cotton: There has been practically no change in the technical position of our market and although prices receded about Tls. 0.50 per picul the tendency at the close was fairly steady. The very little demand on the part of spinners, who appear to be fairly well supplied for some months ahead; the absence of any speculative operations and the disturbing influence of the militaristic activities in the North would, at any other time, have had a most depressing effect but such is being decidedly averted by the fact of there being hardly any stocks of the old crop and there being about five months before anything definite could be ascertained as to the actual size of the new crop outturn.

From reports from the U. S. A. we gather that the season there is starting late and that small acreage in some sections is expected owing to the boll weevil and pink boll worm. The latter is considered the most destructive of the two pests, and in some sections of Texas, where this pest was so destructive last year, no cotton will be planted. Assuming that the political situation in Europe and other parts of the world will before long become more stabilised, the natural tendency will be toward an increased consumption of cotton this coming season and with the uncertainty as to the ultimate outturn of the coming crop it would be unreasonable for the time being to expect any undue decline in prices. Tone of the market, steady.

JUTE FABRICS

Mr. J. A. Fredericks writes as follows in the jute fabrics circular:

Hessians and Heavy Cees 2½ lbs. greenstripe continue in demand owing to scarcity of stocks and appreciation of prices in Calcutta; while Heavy Cees 2¼ lbs. Bluestripe and Hessians are wanted at Tls. 218 and Tls. 94 respectively while 2¼ lbs. bluestripe stand at Tls. 165.

THE CHINA PRESS MAIL SCHEDULE

SATURDAY, APRIL 29, 1922

Date and Destination	Per	Chi.	Br.	U.S.A.	Reg.
TODAY					
Hankow	Whangpu		7.00		
Foochow	Hsinchi		17.00		
Ningpo	H.Kiangteen		15.00		
Hankow	Train		17.00		
H'kong, C'ton, Straits India & Europe via Suez	Amazone	11.30	8.30		11.00 8.00
W'wei, C'foo and T'tsin	Tungchow		8.30		
H'kong, S. Ports, Straits Ceylon, India & Europe via Suez	Amazone		11.30		11.00
River ports	Train & Str.	21.00			21.00
Vladivostok & Siberia	Via P. & H.	17.00			17.00
Newchwang	Changchow	13.30			13.00
Chefoo & Antung	Chusan	8.30			8.00
Chefoo	do		10.30		
Foochow	Hsinchi	21.00			21.00
TOMORROW					
Australia & N. Zealand via Hongkong	Liangchow		10.30		
Vladivostok	Yungshin		9.30		
S'tow, H'kong & C'ton	Shansi	10.30	10.30		10.00
Swatow and Hongkong	do	10.30			10.00
Hongkong and Canton	Liangchow		10.30		
Hongkong	do				16.30
Hongkong and Canton	Dunera	17.00			
H'kong, Straits, India & Europe via Suez	....do	17.00			16.30
H'kong, S. Ports, Straits Ceylon, India & Europe via Suez	....do		n17.00		
River ports	Train & Str.	21.00			21.00
Monday, May 1					
Vladivostok & Siberia	Via P. & H.	17.00			17.00
River ports	Train & Str.	21.00			21.00
Tientsin	Hsinming				21.00
Swatow & Hongkong	Yingchow		17.00		21.00
Swatow & Hongkong	Hangsang	21.00	17.00		21.00
S'tow, H'kong & C'ton	Hangsang	21.00			18.30
S'tow, H'kong, C'ton	Yingchow	19.00	17.00		13.00
Japan Ports	Omi Maru				
Tuesday, May 2.					21.00
W'wei, C'foo and T'tsin	Tungshing	21.00	17.00		18.30
Japan Ports	Yamashiro M.	19.00	13.30		
W'wei, C'foo and T'tsin	Shuntien	13.30			
Wednesday, May 3.					
Manila via Hongkong	S. State	17.00			16.30
Hongkong	do		17.00		
Amoy, H'kong & C'ton	Szechuen	21.00			21.00
Amoy & Hongkong	do		17.00		
Thursday, May 4					
Japan, H'lulu, Canada, U.S.A. & Europe via U. S. A.	G. State		▲17.00		17.00
Saturday, May 6					
Hongkong, Straits, India & Europe via Suez	Plassy	8.30			7.30
Japan, H'lulu, Canada, U. S. A. & Europe	G. State	17.00			16.30
Manila Direct	E. of Asia	14.00			13.30
Japan, Canada, U. S. A. & Europe via Canada	K. State		▲17.00		17.00
Japan, Canada, U.S.A. & Europe via Canada,	E. of Japan		▲17.00		17.00
Sunday, May 7					
Japan, Canada, U.S.A. & Europe	K. State	17.00			16.30
Japan, Canada, U.S.A. & Europe	E. of Japan	15.00			14.30

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BY BRICE BELDEN, M.D.

People die from one of three causes: accident, infectious or communicable disease, and degenerative changes in the vital organs. We all understand accidents and try to prevent them; we know a great deal about infectious disease, and mighty efforts are made to prevent and cure it; but the public has much to learn about the degenerative diseases.

When one dies of old age he dies of degenerative disease. This is natural enough if one be seventy-five or older, but if it happens at an earlier age there has been something radically wrong about the deceased individual's mode of living.

It is a regrettable fact that there is a distinct tendency in this country toward an increase in the number of deaths from degenerative diseases at comparatively early age periods—forty, fifty and sixty years. A very large number of persons are dying from premature degeneration of the vital organs at such age periods; about 30 percent of adults, to be exact. The reason we don't become alarmed over this situation is simply because the degenerative diseases kill slowly and quietly, not spectacularly, like the more familiar messengers of death.

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For Southern Ports

NINGPO.—The Steamer HSIN KIANGTEEN, Capt. Taylor, will leave on Saturday, April 29, at 4:30 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

WENCHOW.—The Str. FEI-CHING, Capt. Smith, will leave on Saturday morning, April 29. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

HONGKONG AND CANTON.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer Liangchow, Capt. G. P. McAdam, will leave from the French Bund on Sunday, April 30, at noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD AND SWIRE, (JOHN SWIRE & SONS, LTD.), Agents. Tel. C. No. 4881, Private Branch Exchange to all Departments.

SWATOW, HONGKONG AND CANTON.—The China Navigation Co.'s Str. Shansi, Capt. H. A. Walker, will leave on Sunday, Apr. 30 at noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, (JOHN SWIRE & SONS, LTD.), Agents French Bund. Tel. C. No. 4881, Private Branch Exchange to All Departments.

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NINGPO.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer HSIN PEKING, Captain J. Oudney, will leave from the French Bund on Monday, May 1, at 4:30 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, (JOHN SWIRE & SONS, LTD.), Agents French Bund. Tel. C. No. 4881, Private Exchange to all Departments.

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For Northern Ports

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Information For Mariners

SATURDAY, APRIL 29, 1922

High Water at Woosung Bar
(The morning tides are higher than the evening tides, they are about equal at noon and midnight).
Approximate rise, at springs 4 1/4 h; at neaps, 5 h.
fall, at springs 3 1/4 h; at neaps, 7 1/2 h.

Time	Range	Time	Range
1h. 24m.	9ft. 8in.	1h. 41m.	3ft. 0in.

High Water at Tungsha Lightship
(The morning tides are higher than the evening tides).
Approximate rise, 5 h; approximate fall, 7 h.

A.M. H.	A.M. M.	P.M. H.	P.M. M.
0	22	0	38

Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset

Moon Rises	Moon Sets	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Daylight	Dark
6.42 a.m.	8.34 p.m.	5h. 18m.	6h. 37m.	4h. 33m.	7h. 22m.

Mean Barometric Pressure at Shanghai.
For April 30.00 in.
762.0 mm.

TIENTSIN DIRECT.—The Kailan Mining Administration, will despatch the s.s. HENRIK, on April 22, 1922. For Freight apply to Agent, 1 Jinkee Road, Tel. Cen. 317.

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Siberia Maru	Apr. 27
China	April 28
FOR PORTLAND	
Eastern Sailor	Apr. 12
Niels Nielsen	Apr. 14
Luise Nielsen	Apr. 18
Pawiet	Apr. 1[illegible]
West Cayote	Apr. 25
FOR VANCOUVER	
Emp. of Asia	Mar. 28
Harold Dollar	Mar. 24
Bessie Dollar	Apr. 19
Emp. of Russia	Apr. 22
Monteagle	April 28
FOR PUGET SOUND	
Wm. Dollar	Mar. 20
FOR SEATTLE	
Pine Tree State	Mar. 28
Wenatchee	Apr. 9
Bay State	Apr. 23
FOR TACOMA	
Arabia Maru	Apr. 14
FOR NEW YORK	
Bolton Castle	Mar. 30
Knight Templar	Apr. 7
City of Oran	Apr. 7
Kendal Castle	Apr. 16
City of Melbourne	Apr. 17
Gaelic Prince	Apr. 20
Mabeyashi Maru	Apr. 20
Diana Dollar	Apr. 20
Blossom Heath	April 28
FOR LONDON	
Kamo Maru	Mar. 22
Devanha	Mar. 25
Katori Maru	Mar. 29
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Kalyan	Apr. 22
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Anchises	Apr. 15
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City of Simla	Mar. 22
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Glentara	Apr. 3
Glenariffe	Apr. 11
West Falen	Apr. 14
Altai Maru	Apr. 20
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Rotti	Apr. 20
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Formose	Mar. 22
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Monteagle	July 8	July 28	Montclare	Aug. 4	
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E. Russia	Aug. 12	Aug. 28	E. France	Sept. 5	Sept. 12
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E. of Asia, *Vancouver*	May.	6
Esang, *Hankow*	May.	3
Fausang, *Hongkong*	May.	4
Fengtien, *Tientsin*	May.	3
Glengarry, *London*	Apr.	29
Golden State, *Hongkong*	May.	4
Helenus, *Liverpool*	May.	6
Hopsang, *Tsingtao*	May.	4
Hsimming, *Tientsin*	Apr.	29
Hsinwah, *Hongkong*	Apr.	29
Hsin Kiangteen, *Ningpo*	Apr.	29
Hsin Ningshao, *Ningpo*	Apr.	30
Hsin Peking, *Ningpo*	Apr.	30
Keystone State, *Hongkong*	May.	6
Kiangshun, *Hankow*	Apr.	29
Kiangteen, *Hankow*	May.	1
Kiangan, *Hankow*	May.	2
Kiangfoo, *Hankow*	May.	5
Kianghsin, *Hankow*	May.	4
Kiangwah, *Hankow*	May.	6
Kumano Maru, *Japan*	May.	3
Kutwo, *Hankow*	Apr.	29
Kwongsang, *Pukow*	May.	2
Luenyi, *Hankow*	May.	4
Omi Maru, *Japan*	Apr.	29
Poyang, *Hankow*	May.	3
Shuntien, *Tientsin*	Apr.	30
Silver State, *Seattle*	May.	2
Suiwo, *Hankow*	May.	4
Tatung, *Hankow*	Apr.	29
Tingsang, *Hongkong*	May.	4
Tuckwo, *Hankow*	Apr.	30
Tungshing, *Tientsin*	May.	1
West Kader, *Portland*	Apr.	30
Woosung, *Hankow*	May.	1
Wosang, *Hankow*	May.	5
Wuchang, *Hankow*	May.	5
Yamashiro Maru, *Japan*	Apr.	30

Shipping Items

YANGTSZE PORTS

The C.M. s.s. Kiangahun left Hankow on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai this morning.

The I-C. s.s. Kutwo left Hankow on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai this morning.

The C.N. s.s. Tatung left Hankow on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai this morning.

The C.N. s.s. Chungking left Hankow on Thursday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow morning.

The I-C. s.s. Tuckwo left Hankow on Thursday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow morning.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangteen left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Monday.

The C.N. s.s. Woosung left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Monday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangan will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Tuesday.

The I-C. s.s. Esang will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Wednesday.

The C.N. s.s. Poyang will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Wednesday.

SOUTHERN PORTS

The C.M. s.s. Hsinwah left Hongkong on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai today.

The I-C. s.s. Tingsang is due to arrive in Shanghai from Hongkong on Thursday.

The I-C. s.s. Fausang is due to arrive in Shanghai from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow on Thursday.

The Adl. Line s.s. Wheatland Montana left Cebu for Villaba on Monday.

NORTHERN PORTS

The I-C. s.s. Hopsang is due to arrive in Shanghai from Tsingtao on May 4.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinkong left Tientsin for Newchwang and Amoy on Monday.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinming left Tientsin on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai by way of Chefoo today.

The I-C. s.s. Tungshing is due to arrive in Shanghai from Tientsin, Chefoo and Weihaiwei on Monday.

The C.N. s.s. Shuntien is due to arrive in Shanghai from Tientsin, Chefoo and Weihaiwei tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Fengtien is due to arrive in Shanghai from Tientsin, Chfeoo and Weihaiwei on Wednesday.

The S.M.R. s.s. Chohei Maru arrived in Shanghai from Dairen and Tsingtao yesterday morning and will sail for same ports at 4 o'clock this afternoon. The tender with passengers and baggage will leave the Customs jetty at 3 p.m.

The K.M.A. s.s. Hero (chartered) left Chinwangtao for Shanghai on Wednesday.

The K.M.A. s.s. Shinon (chartered) left Chinwangtao for Shanghai on Thursday.

JAPAN PORTS

The N.Y.K. s.s. Omi Maru left Nagasaki for Shanghai on Thursday and is due to dock at the Wayside Wharf this morning.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Yamashiro Maru left Moji for Shanghai yesterday and is due to dock at the N.Y.K. Wharf tomorrow.

INDIAN PORTS

The B.I. s.s. Dunera will sail from Shanghai for Hongkong, Straits and Bombay at daylight Monday and the tender with outgoing passengers will leave the Customs jetty at 6 o'clock tomorrow evening.

EUROPEAN LINES

The S.E. m.s. Formosa, outbound from Gothenburg for Shanghai, left Antwerp on April 12.

The S.E. s.s. Sumatra, outbound from Gothenburg for Shanghai, left Suez on April 13.

The S.E. s.s. Ceylon left Gothenburg for Shanghai on March 15.

The M.M. s.s. Commandant Dorise, from Antwerp, is expected to arrive at Saigon on May 6 and in Shanghai on May 20.

The P. & O. s.s. Dongola which sailed from London on March 17 with mails, is expected to leave Hongkong this afternoon and is due in Shanghai on May 2.

The M.M. s.s. Angkor, with the French mails of March 24, left Haiphong at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on May 2.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Helenus, from United Kingdom, left Singapore on Wednesday and is due to arrive in Shanghai by way of Hongkong on May 6.

The Glen Line m.v. Glengarry, outbound from London, left Hongkong on Wednesday morning and is due in Shanghai today. The steamer will dock at the China Merchants' Lower Wharf.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Alcinous, from Liverpool, left Singapore for Hongkong and Shanghai on Thursday and is due to arrive here on May 7.

The M.M. s.s. Amazone arrived in Shanghai from Kobe yesterday and is docked at the S.M.R. Whangpoo Wharf. The steamer will sail for Marseilles at noon today and passengers may embark direct at the wharf from 10 o'clock.

AMERICAN LINES

The Adl. Line s.s. Alloway, from New York, left Honolulu for Yokohama on April 18.

The Adl. Line s.s. Greylock, from New York, left Honolulu for Yokohama on April 18.

The China Mail s.s. Nanking was scheduled to sail from San Francisco last Saturday and is due to arrive in Shanghai by way of Honolulu and Japan ports on May 17.

The P.M. s.s. Empire State which sailed from San Francisco on April 19, was due to leave Honolulu Tuesday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on May 10. The liner will sail for Manila and Hongkong on May 11.

The Dollar s.s. Esther Dollar sailed from Port Said for New York on April 23.

The Lumberline s.s. Hanna Nielsen sailed from Portland, Ore., on April 15 and is due to arrive in Shanghai on May 11.

The Lumberline s.s. Unita sailed from Portland, Ore., on April 10 and is due in Shanghai by way of Yokohama on May 8.

The North China Line s.s. West Kader, from Portland, Ore., is now discharging at Japan ports and is due to arrive in Shanghai tomorrow. It will sail for Portland by way of Taku Bar and Vladivostok on May 1.

The North China Line s.s. Hanawa sailed from Portland, Ore., on April 17 and is due to arrive in Shanghai by way of Japan ports on May 20, thence to Hongkong and Manila.

The Adl. Line s.s. Eastern Knight left Savannah for Yokohama on April 15.

The Adl. Line s.s. Pine Tree State is scheduled to sail from Seattle today and is due to arrive in Shanghai on May 16.

The Dollar s.s. Bessie Dollar arrived at Kobe from Shanghai Wednesday and was due to sail for San Pedro, San Francisco and Vancouver yesterday.

The Adl. Line s.s. Hanley left Seattle for Yokohama on April 20.

The Adl. Line s.s. Radnor, from New York, left Honolulu for Yokohama on Tuesday, April 25.

The Adl. Line s.s. Silver State which sailed from Seattle on April 15, was due to arrive at Yokohama on Thursday and is expected in Shanghai on May 2. The liner will sail for Hongkong and Manila on May 4.

The Dollar s.s. Celestial sailed from San Francisco for Yokohama on April 26.

The Dollar s.s. M. S. Dollar, enroute for New York via Suez, arrived at Calcutta from Singapore on Thursday.

The C.P.S. s.s. Monteagle sailed from Woosung yesterday and is due to arrive in Vancouver by way of Japan ports on May 18.

The T.K.K. s.s. Korea Maru arrived Woosung from San Francisco and ports yesterday morning and sailed for Hongkong in the evening.

The China Mail s.s. China sailed from Woosung for San Francisco yesterday evening and is due to arrive there by way of Nagasaki, Yokohama and Honolulu on May 20 at daylight.

Passengers Departed

Per I-C. s.s. Loongwo for Ngankin: Miss L. Kent; for Wuhu: Mr. H. C. Wuppert; for Hankow: Mr. and Mrs. Hawk, Mr. and Mrs. Carter, Mr. and Mrs. G. Taye, Mr. and Mrs. Lieu, Mrs. Khoo, Miss Tien, Mr. and Mrs. Phin, Mrs. Teck, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Smith, Messrs. Nathan, A. G. Allen.

Per China Mail s.s. China for San Francisco: Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Allan, Mr. E. D. Bush, Mrs. Loo R. Day, Miss Margret Day, Mr. P. J. Fitzsimmons, Mrs. A. C. Grimes and two sons, Miss G. J. Lewis, Messrs. D. O. Orr, Cay Wm. Risher, Miss Bessie Rider, Mrs. A. D. Riddick, Misses Nettie M. Senger, S. E. Stein, Mrs. V. E. Scott, Miss Vassieleva.

Per C.P.S. s.s. Monteagle for Vancouver: Mrs. N. D. Ahapkin, Mrs. F. E. Burch, Mrs. J. M. Cameron, Col. and Mrs. J. C. H. Holliday, Mr. and Mrs. F. Milner, Mrs. H. Quelch and infant, Miss Irene Quelch, Messrs. D. N. Ahapkin, Ed. Linkhorst.

Launch Services

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The tender conveying passengers and baggage on board the S.M.R. s.s. Chohei Maru, for Tsingtao and Dairen will leave the Customs Jetty at 3 p.m.

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120 Soldiers Put Whole City Into State Of Terror

(Chung Mei Service)

Changlihsien, April 19.—A small force of about 120 Fengtien troops has been quartered here, but big enough to strike terror into everyone from the small shopkeepers up to the magistrate. No outbroken disorder has occurred—it is not necessary. All one of these ex-bandits has to do is to demand what he wants, and the local patriots hasten to gratify him. The pawn shops all have signs up stating that they do not receive soldiers' weapons or uniforms.

One Fengtien brave came into a pawn shop and inquired if it was true they didn't receive surplus military equipment. When told that it was, he pulled out a cigarette and laid it on the counter saying, "All right, take that then;" and they did, making a payment of $20, it is reported. The upper shirt part of a uniform was pawned for $14, and it is reported a handkerchief for $50.

The local magistrate with his force of cavalry (over one hundred), 30 infantry, and 30 policemen, is 100 precent inefficient in the emergency. Since arriving last week the officer in charge of the Fengtien soldiers has made two trips to the Yamen, "borrowing" the first time $50 from the magistrate, and $100 the next. Any villainy pulled off by local talent now is promptly charged to these outside soldiers, and the official disclaims responsibility.

The native Christian pastor's donkey was stolen Sunday night while returning from a trip, the rider beaten, bound, and robbed of his clothes. When reported to the magistrate he promptly said it was probably the Fengtien soldiers, and he feared he could do nothing. But a similar incident occurred on the same spot over a month ago when there were no black sheep about to blame it on.

Forty Millions Cut From Army's Funds

(China Press Service)

Washington, April 27.—Secretary Weeks said that the Senate Military Committee "hastily prepared" the report on economies he had effected in his department totalling $40,013,329. The largest item was more than $10,000,000 in the Quartermaster Corps.

Sweden's King Hurt In Motor Car Crash

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, April 27.—The King of Sweden has been slightly injured as a result of a motor car accident in the Hautes-Alpes. His Majesty's chamberlain was seriously injured.

A Brace Of Prize Winners

LITTLE "Baby Peggy" and her German shepherd, both prize winners, we'll say. "Spencer," the dog being embraced by his owner, was snapped just after he had been awarded first prize at the fashionable dog show at Pasadena, Cal.

RUSSIAN ARMY NOW COMPRISES 1,370,000 MEN

Trotsky Reported To Be Preparing For War On Poland

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, April 27.—According to the Excelsior the present strength of the Soviet army is 1,370,000 men, divided up into 37 divisions of 25,000 fighting troops each. A Red division has fifty field guns and a regiment has 30 machine-guns.

The Soviet army costs 500,000,000 roubles, or about 29 percent of the total cost of the former Imperial army.

Paris, April 27.—According to a despatch from London, the Times suggests that the difficulties which M. Chicherin is trying to create for Poland might be the forerunner of a fresh serious conflict between Russia and Poland. Warlike preparations are said to be proceeding in Russia under the direction of Trotsky.

A telegram reports General Alexanderoff, commandant of the military district of Petrograd, as saying:

"The Bolshevik army is ready and can beat Finland, Poland and Roumania, either together or singly, provided they are not supported by one of the Allied Powers."

Kropotkin, Russian Leader, Honored

(Rosta News Agency)

Moscow, April 26.—The Kropotkin Memorial Committee in Petrograd held its first anniversary meeting lately. Novorusky outlined the committee's plans. The academician, Oldenburg, described Kropotkin's contribution to geography.

Shilov described Kropotkin's revolutionary career, using materials taken from the archives of the former Imperial Secret Police (Okhrana). Shilov also read Kropotkin's unpublished articles on the future social order, on the political and social revolution, and on "what is to be done on the morrow of the revolution."

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100TH BIRTHDAY OF GEN. GRANT OBSERVED IN U.S.

President Harding Delivers Address At Soldier's Birthplace

(China Press Service)

Point Pleasant, Ohio, April 27.—The whole nation turned today to this little hamlet on the occasion of the celebration of the hundredth anniversary of the birth of one of its presidents and probably its greatest military leader, Ulysses S. Grant.

A flotilla of river craft brought the President and Mrs. Harding, as well as congressmen, officials military and naval. The party came from Cincinnati. It was the first time that a president in office ever has come here. William Forrester, a Civil War veteran who is the only man in this vicinity who knew General Grant was given a place of honor at the exercises.

The President, speaking at the home where Grant was born, said:

"The world today needs something of Grant's spirit. I sometimes wonder if the magnanimity of Grant, the dogged, persistent unalterable Grant—in warfare the Unconditional Surrender Grant, would not be helpful to the world today."

He paid tribute to Grant as "The military hero of this republic and the surpassing example of magnanimity for all time."

"He was the confident, relentless commander in war, but the modest sympathetic petitioner for peace after victory," said the President. "It can be said that he is the American example of the American conception of justice and liberty which has since then influenced the world little less significantly than Grant's service to the Union shaped the course of our land."

The President referred to the horrors of the world war and past war threats against civilisation and added:

"The claims of survey give every assurance that twenty centuries of modern civilisation could not have been builded on foundations which are false."

He also referred to Grant's humble beginning and illustrious development as an example of what is possible in America, saying:

"He fought not to make a conquest of territory or to expend empire. He was seeking only to preserve. He want the normal way, with his face ever forward, ready to quicken his step when opportunity called or responsibility summoned."

Washington, April 27.—The government machinery was halted at the President's order to honor the memory of General Ulysses S. Grant. The bronze memorial at the Botanical Gardens was dedicated after an impressive parade. Vice-President Coolidge and former president Taft spoke.

Holland Houses In Legal Squabble

(Reuter's Service)

The Hague, April 27.—In the debate on the Constitutional Reform Bill, the Second Chamber rejected a number of motions in regard to the limitation of the powers of the First Chamber, including a motion for its abolition.

BENEFIT PROGRAM IS GIVEN IN AID OF NANKING HOSPITAL

(China Press Correspondence)

Nanking, April 26.—The benefit performance for the Nanking Memorial Foreign Hospital was held last night in Sage Chapel. Before a very appreciative audience of over 500, the local Music Club gave a program of exceptional merit. The numbers were as follows:

1. Instrumental Trio—Polonaise Chopin
Mrs. Smith, Miss Woodbridge, Mr. Holroyd.
2. Vocal Solo—Devonshire Cream and Cider..Sanderson
Mr. Grimes.
3. Piano Solo:
(a) Hungarian Rhapsodie (No. 2) .....Liszt
(b) Canzonetta del Salvator Rosa .....Liszt
Dr. Hamilton
4.—Vocal Solo:
(a) Elegie .....del Riego
(b) The Slave Song..Massenet
Mrs. Wallace.
5.—Vocal Solo:
(a) To the Evening Star .....Wagner
(Prologue and Aria from "Tannhauser")
(b) In Victis .....Hahn
Mr. Leager.
6. String Quartette—Serenade Haydn
Angel Gabriel Stewart
Misses Culter And Woodbridge.
Messrs. Sweetman and Speers.
7. Piano Trio:
(a) Overture. Barber of Seville .....Rossini
(b) March Militaire..Schubert
Mrs. Dieterich, Misses Cory and Wright.
8. Vocal Solo:
(a) Pale Moon .....Logan
(b) Will o' the Wisp ..Spross
Mrs. Ruland.
9. Song Cycle—In a Persian Garden
From the Rubaiyat of Omar Khayyam ..Liza Lehmall
Soloists and Chorus:
Mrs. Wallace, Mrs. Sweetman, Mrs. Ruland, Mrs. Kelsey, Mrs. Hamilton, Misses Nagler, Simmonds, Chester, Cory, Messrs. Dieterich, Seager, Blackstone, Mills, Dr. Spreng, Mr. McCallum.
Accompanist: Dr. Hamilton.

During the intermission a brief statement of the history of the Foreign Hospital—which is supported locally—was given, tracing its growth during the ten years of its existence. Improvements and additions have been planned by the Board of Managers which call for an expenditure of $5,600. To date $3,087 have been secured, of which over $1,100 was taken in through sale of tickets and candy at the concert and advertising in the concert program.

MARINE CHANGES ARE ANNOUNCED

The following changes in the merchant marine service took place during the week:

Indo-China Steam Navigation Company—chief mate of the Luenho, Mr. R. Tully, transferred to the Tuckwo; acting chief mate of the Tuckwo, Mr. J. E. Harvey, to second mate; acting master of the Tuckwo, Mr. M. Dawson, to chief mate of the Loongwo; supernumerary chief mate of the Hopsang, Mr. D. G. Burleigh, to chief mate of the Tungshing; chief mate of the Tungshing, Mr. G. E. Vaughan, sent to Hongkong for orders; from home leave, Mr. S. Findleson, to master of the Tuckwo; Mr. G. Balam appointed supernumerary second mate of the Tungshing; Mr. J. E. Levine appointed supernumerary second mate of the Kungwo; from sick leave, Mr. T. McFarlane, to supernumerary second mate of the Fausang; Chief engineer of the Koonshing, Mr. A. J. Beyley, to the Tuckwo; acting chief engineer of the Tuckwo, Mr. J. A. Black, to second engineer; acting second engineer of the Tuckwo, Mr. W. T. Bauld, to third engineer of the Loongwo; third engineer of the Loongwo, Mr. W. M. H. Adam, sent to hospital; from reserve, Mr. E. Scott, to chief engineer of the Koonshing; from sick leave, Mr. A. Connal, to supernumerary third engineer of the Loongwo.

Government Will Make Inquiry Into Engineering Strike

(Reuter's Service)

London, April 27.—In the House of Commons today Mr. Austen Chamberlain announced that as an agreement had not been reached in the engineering dispute regarding managerial functions, and as an extension of the lockout seemed inevitable, the Government had appointed a Court of Enquiry to investigate the matter thoroughly.

The first meeting will be held tomorrow and both parties have been invited to send representatives.